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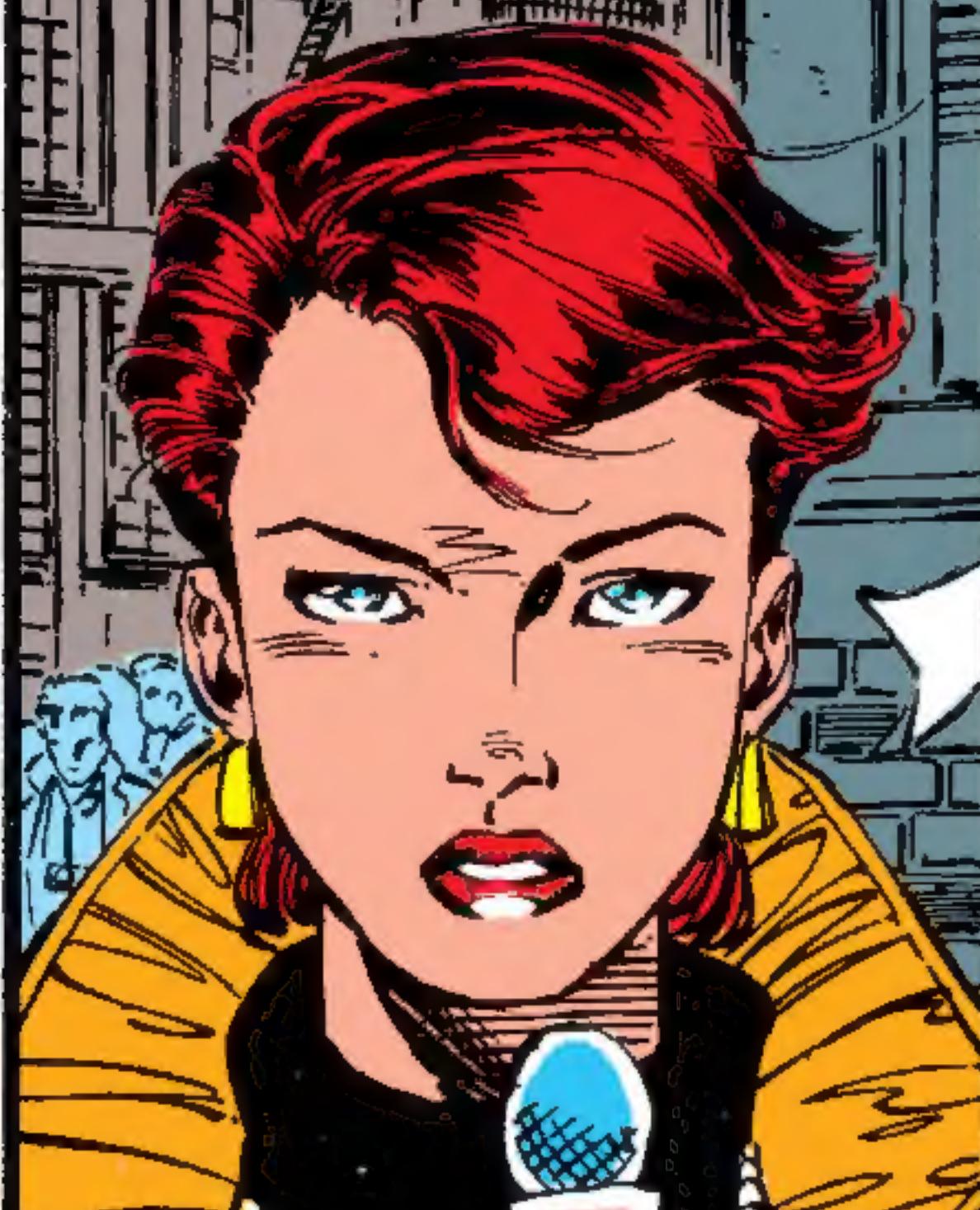


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TONIGHT, THE GENOSHAN CRISIS WORSENS, WITH REPORTS OF PITCHED BATTLES IN THE STREETS OF THEIR CAPITAL CITY, HAMMER BAY...

... BETWEEN GOVERNMENT MAGISTRATES AND MUTANTS IDENTIFIED AS BEING MEMBERS OF BOTH X-FACTOR AND THE X-MEN...

--WHO, UNTIL THIS INCIDENT, HAD BEEN BELIEVED SLAIN MONTHS AGO IN DALLAS, TEXAS.\*



\*X-MEN #227 (AND MANOLI SHOULD KNOW, SINCE SHE WAS THERE!) -- Bob.

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GENOSHA?

THAT'S SOME NEW JAPANESE RESTAURANT, RIGHT?

NO, I WON'T TELL YOU MY NAME.

IF THOSE MUTANTS ARE GUILTY OF CRIMES, THEY DESERVE THE APPROPRIATE PUNISHMENT.

NOW TAKE THAT LENS OUT OF MY FACE, BEFORE I MAKE YOU EAT IT.

LUCAS HAMILTON, TEACHER.

ARE YOU SURPRISED?

THAT A SLAVE SOCIETY WOULD GO TO ANY LENGTHS TO SMASH THE ONE FORCE CAPABLE OF CHALLENGING ITS SUPREMACY?

ME, I'M SURPRISED THEY DIDN'T DO IT SOONER.

REED RICHARDS, LEADER OF THE FANTASTIC FOUR.

I KNOW THE MEMBERS OF X-MEN PERSONALLY, AND X-FACTOR AS WELL.

I FIND IT IMPOSSIBLE TO CREDIT THE CHARGES MADE AGAINST THEM.

ESPECIALLY IN LIGHT OF THE REPREHENSIBLE MEANS -- AND I REFER TO THE KIDNAPPING OF CHILDREN, LEADING TO THE DEATH OF ONE-- USED TO APPREHEND THEM!

EMMANUEL DaCOSTA, BUSINESSMAN.

I HAVE NO COMMENT.

JENNIFER WALTERS, ATTORNEY.

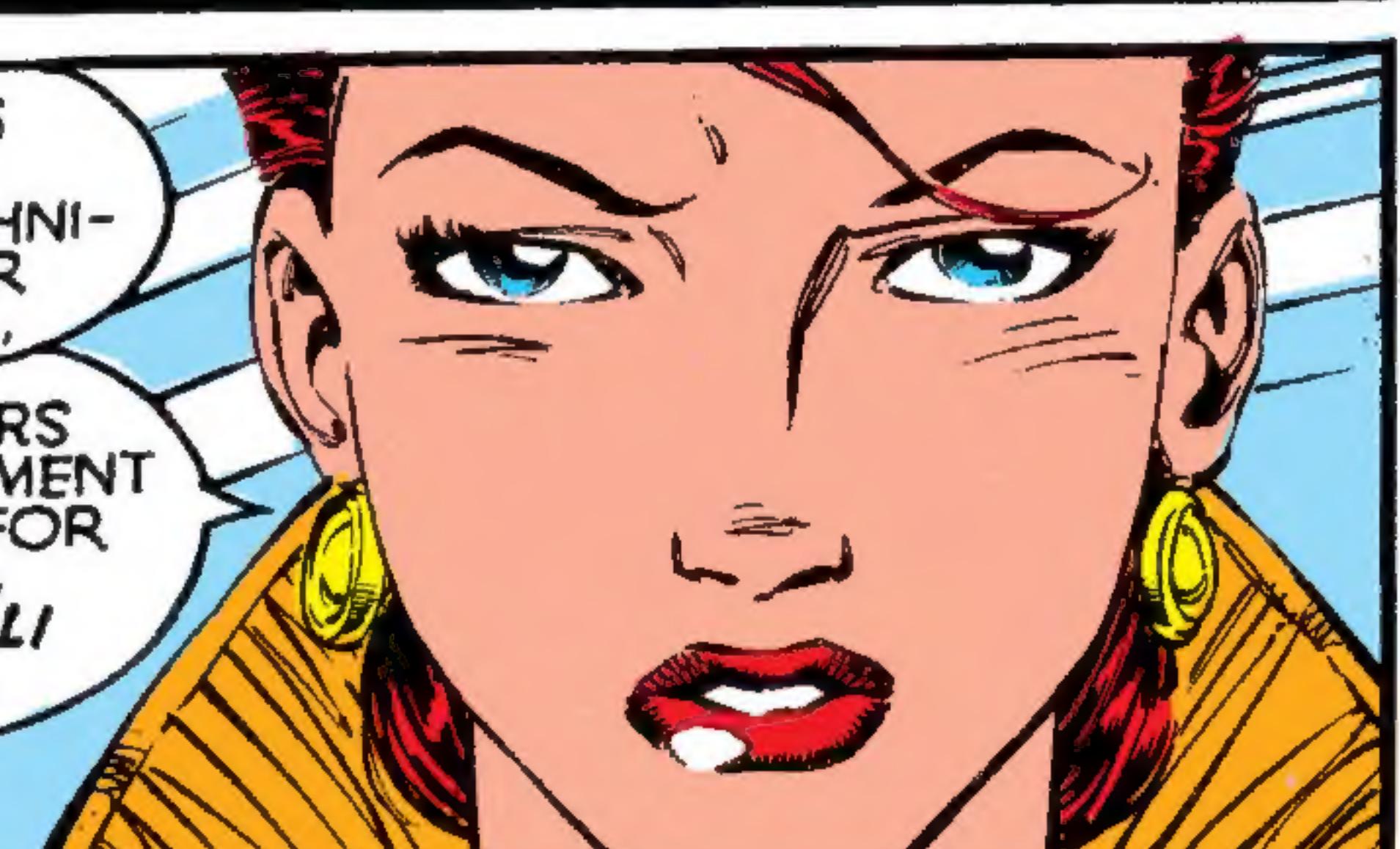
I HAVE APPLIED FOR-- AND HOPE TO BE GRANTED-- A VISA TO GO TO GENOSHA, FOR THE PURPOSE OF REPRESENTING THE X-MEN AT ANY AND ALL CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS.

GIVEN A FAIR TRIAL, I HAVE NO DOUBT OF THEIR SPEEDY AND CERTAIN EXONERATION.

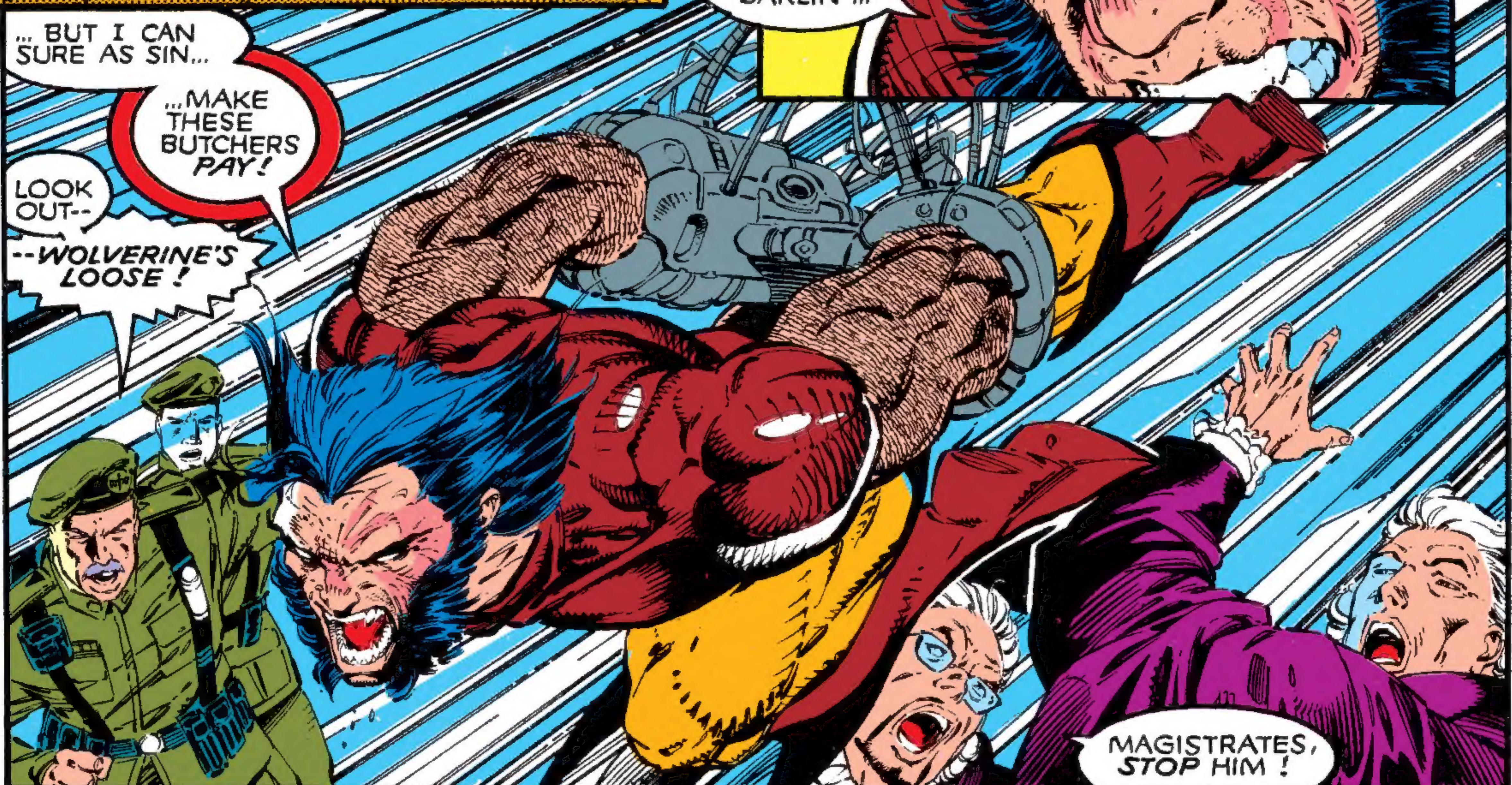
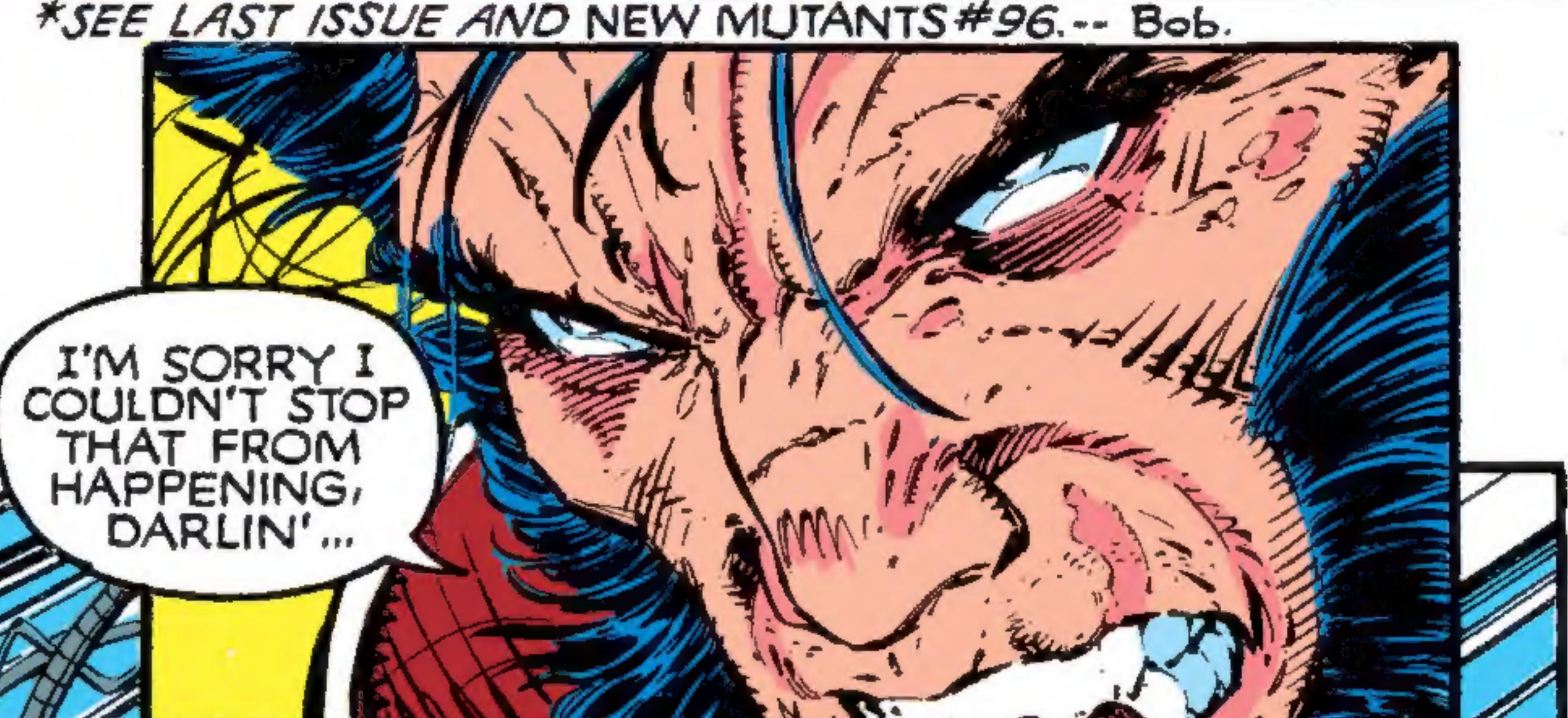
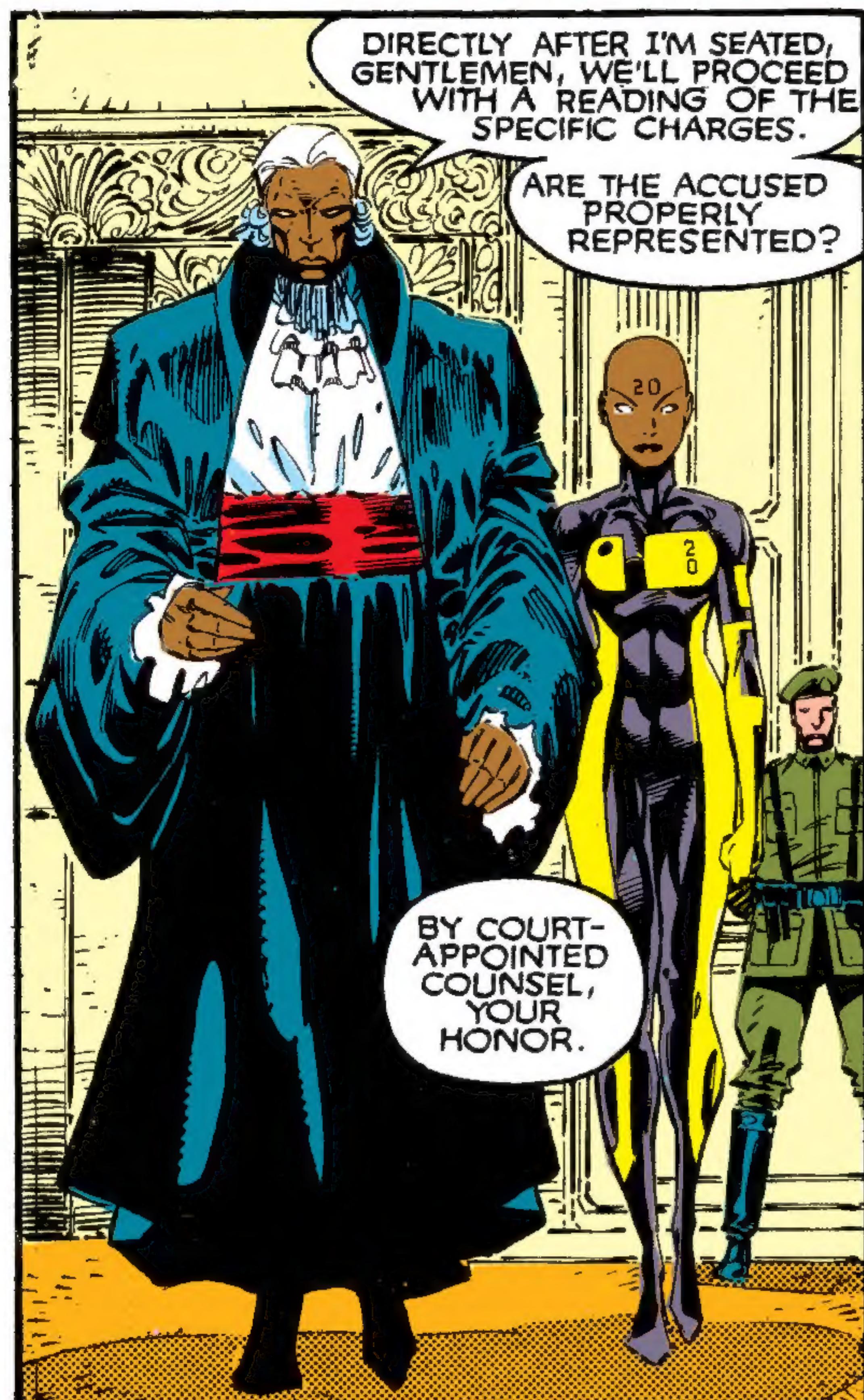
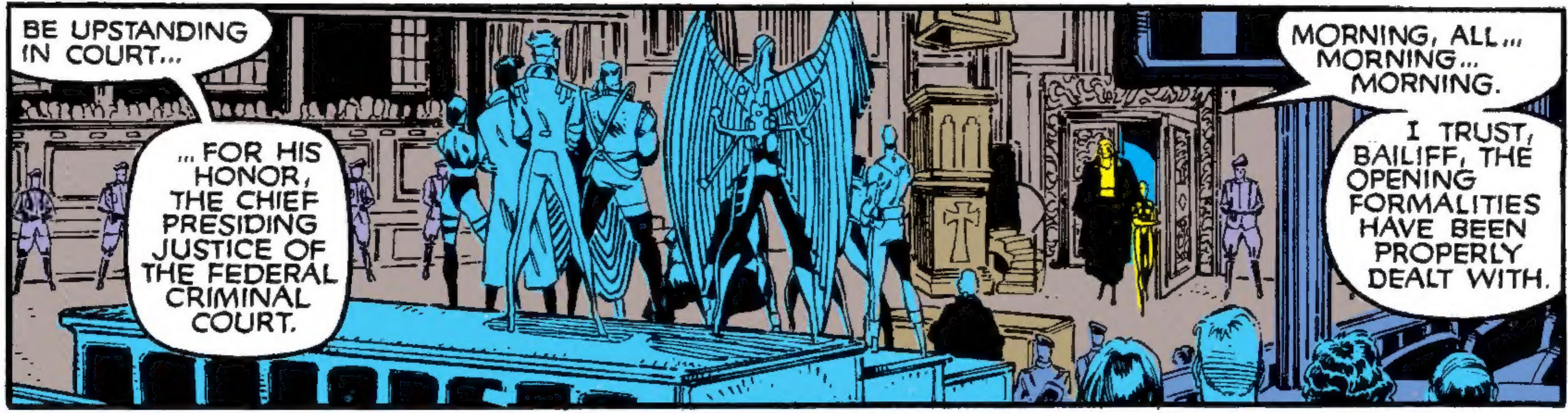
ATTORNEY WALTERS' REQUEST HAS BEEN DENIED BY THE GENOSHAN MINISTRY OF JUSTICE, ON THE TECHNICALITY THAT, SINCE SHE WAS NEVER ADMITTED TO THE GENOSHAN BAR...

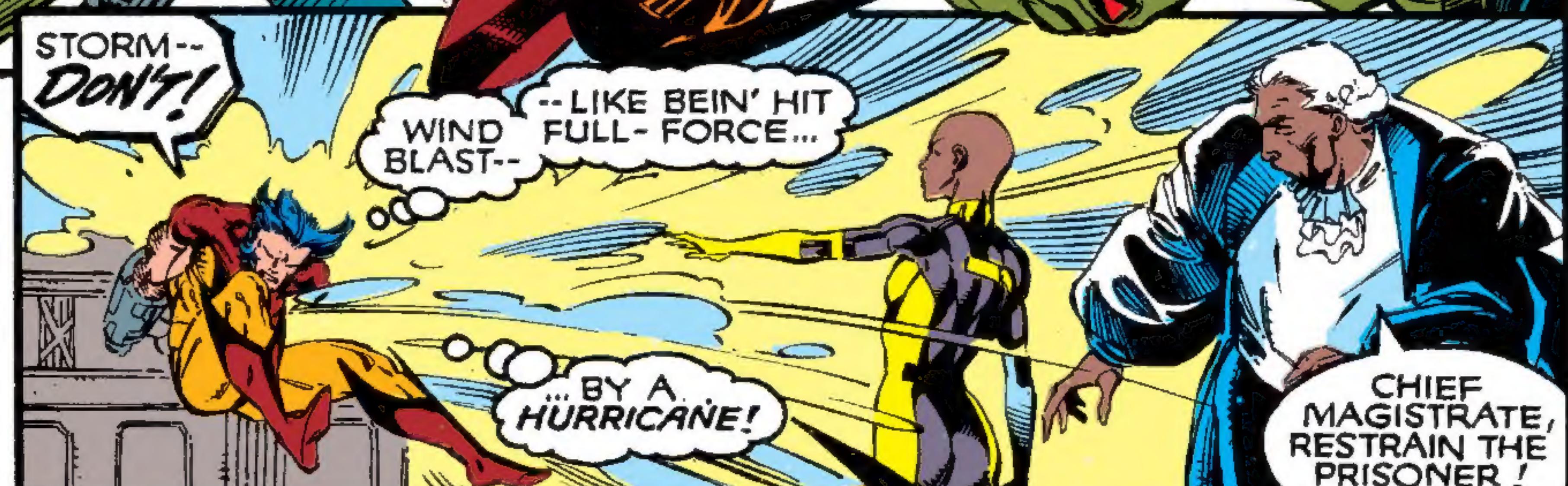
.. SHE IS NEITHER QUALIFIED NOR COMPETENT TO PRACTICE LAW IN THAT COUNTRY.

THE PRISONERS FACE ARRAIGNMENT TOMORROW. FOR NPR-TV NEWS, THIS IS MANOLI WETHERELL.









I AM  
EMPOWERED  
BY THE STATE  
PRESIDENT TO  
OFFER YOU  
MUTANTS A  
CHOICE:

...YOU CAN  
EITHER GO  
TO TRIAL--

--AND WHILE  
IT WILL BE A FREE  
AND FAIR ONE, HAVE  
NO ILLUSIONS  
ABOUT THE  
OUTCOME.

AS OUR  
LAWS ARE  
WRITTEN,  
YOUR VERY  
EXISTENCE  
CONDENSIS  
YOU..

WE CAN  
GUESS THE  
ALTERNATIVE,  
CHIEF  
MAGISTRATE.

TO SUBMIT  
OURSELVES TO  
THE GENEMOD  
PROCESS AND  
END UP LIKE  
STORM AND  
WOLFSBANE...

...AS YOUR  
MUTATE  
SLAVES!

SO, ON  
THE ONE  
HAND IS  
CERTAIN  
DEATH.

TO SERVE  
THE STATE  
AND PEOPLE  
YOU SO  
WANTONLY  
THREATENED,  
YES.

I THINK  
I SPEAK  
FOR US  
ALL.

WE  
REJECT  
YOUR  
OFFER.



NO LESS  
REALLY  
THAN I  
EXPECTED

YOU SPEAK AS THOUGH  
YOU ACTUALLY ADMIRE  
THESE CRIMINALS.  
ANDERSON!

THIS WOLVERINE  
TRIED TO  
KILL ME!

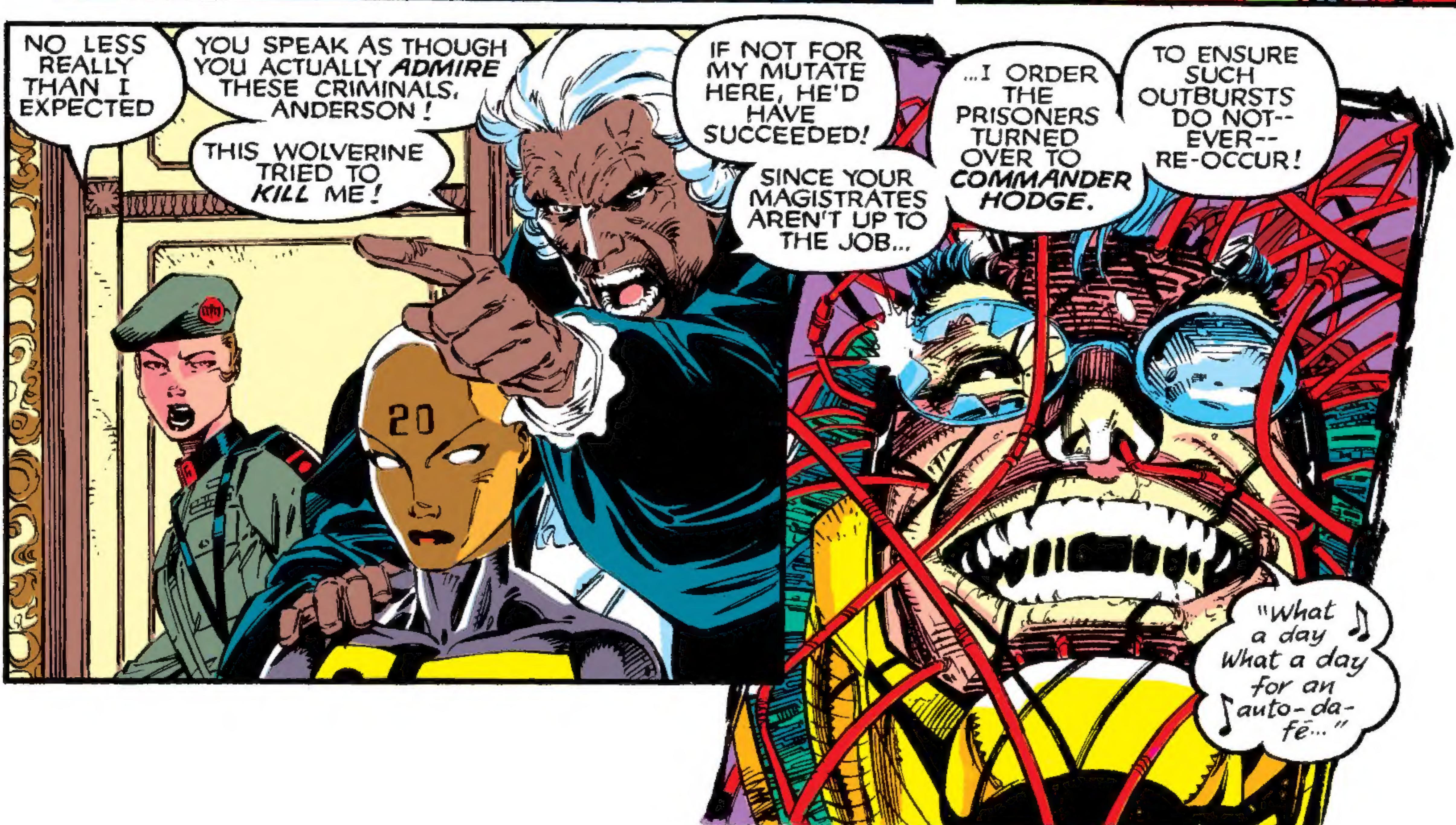
IF NOT FOR  
MY MUTATE  
HERE, HE'D  
HAVE  
SUCCEEDED!

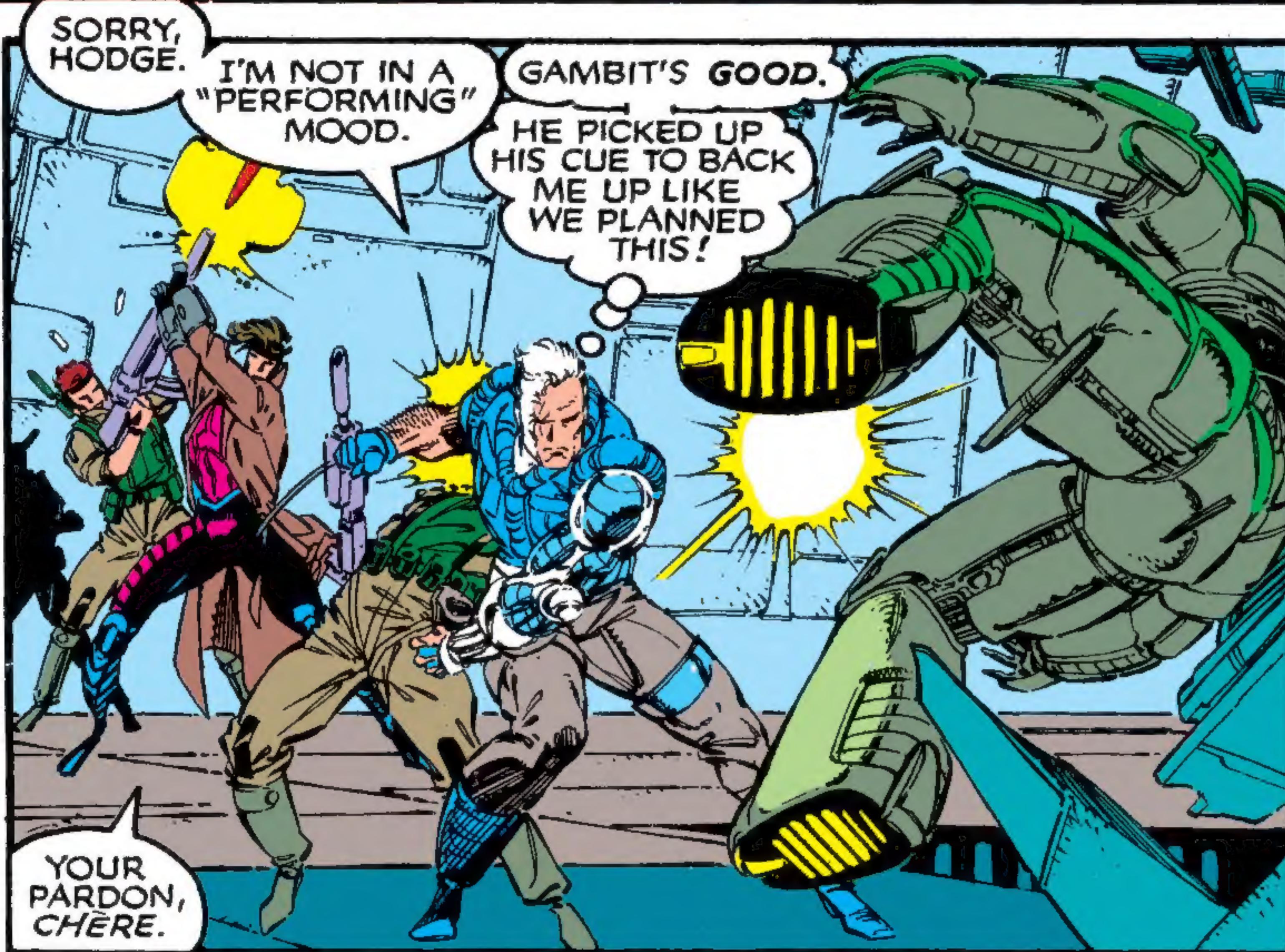
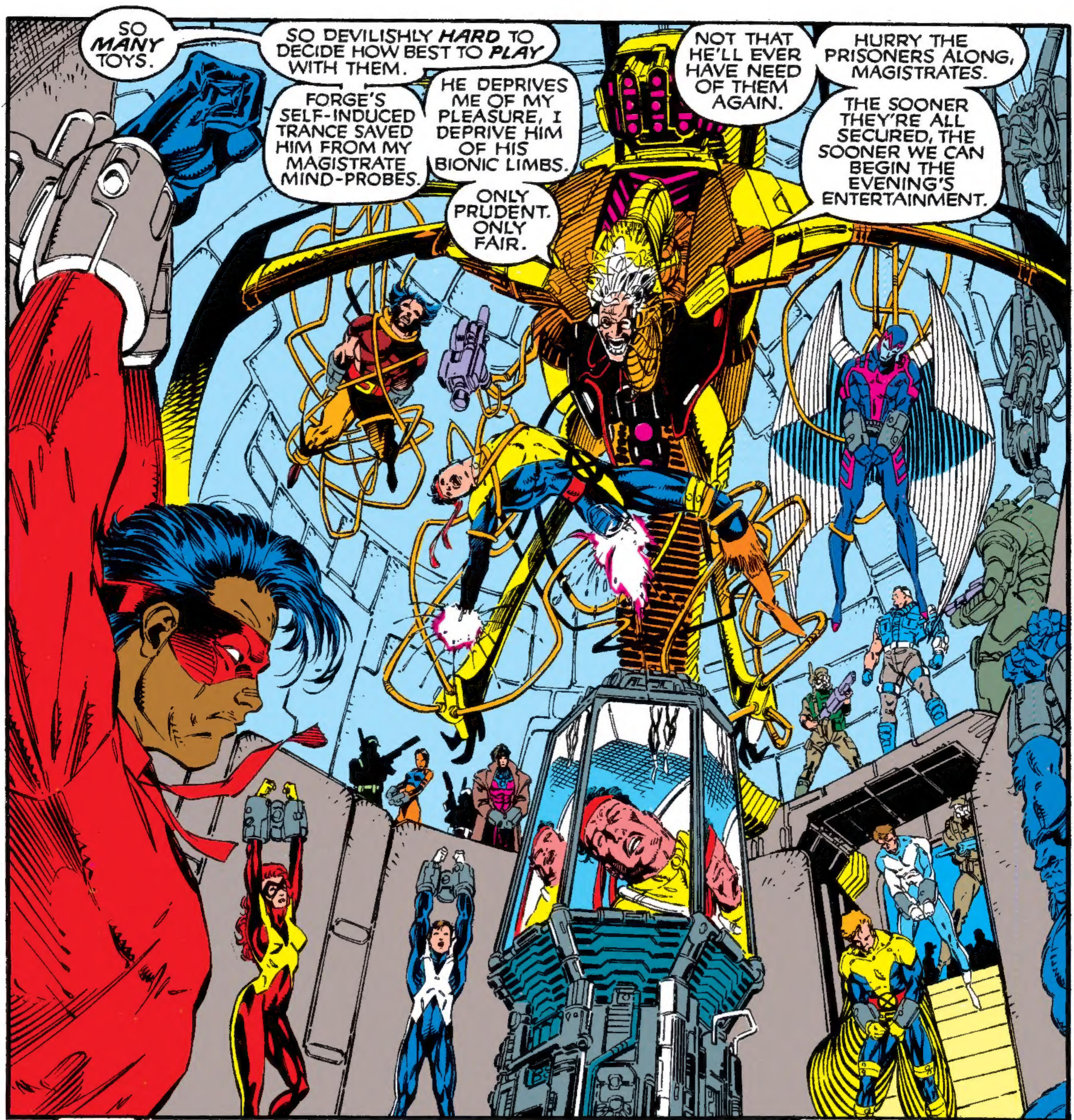
SINCE YOUR  
MAGISTRATES  
AREN'T UP TO  
THE JOB...

...I ORDER  
THE  
PRISONERS  
TURNED  
OVER TO  
COMMANDER  
HODGE.

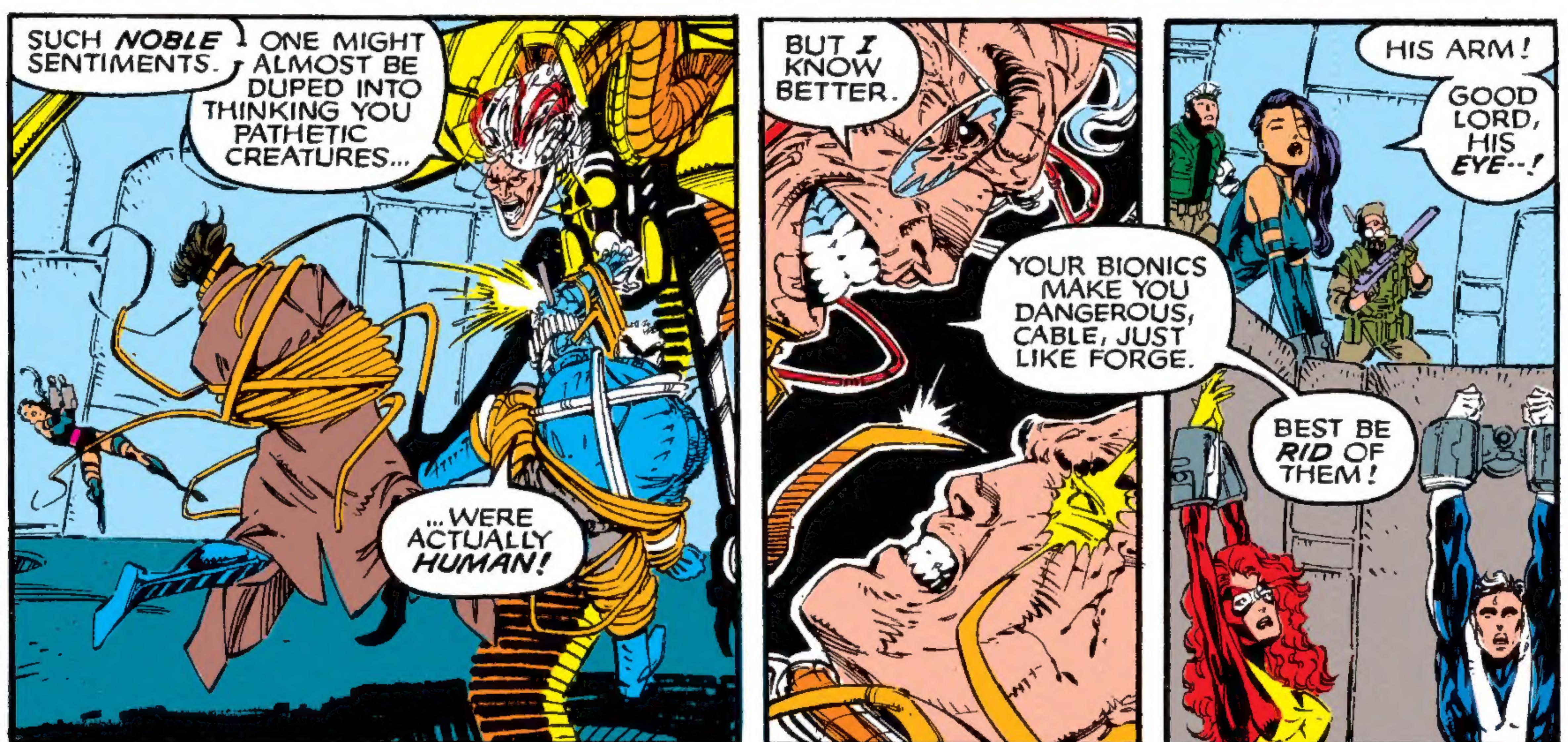
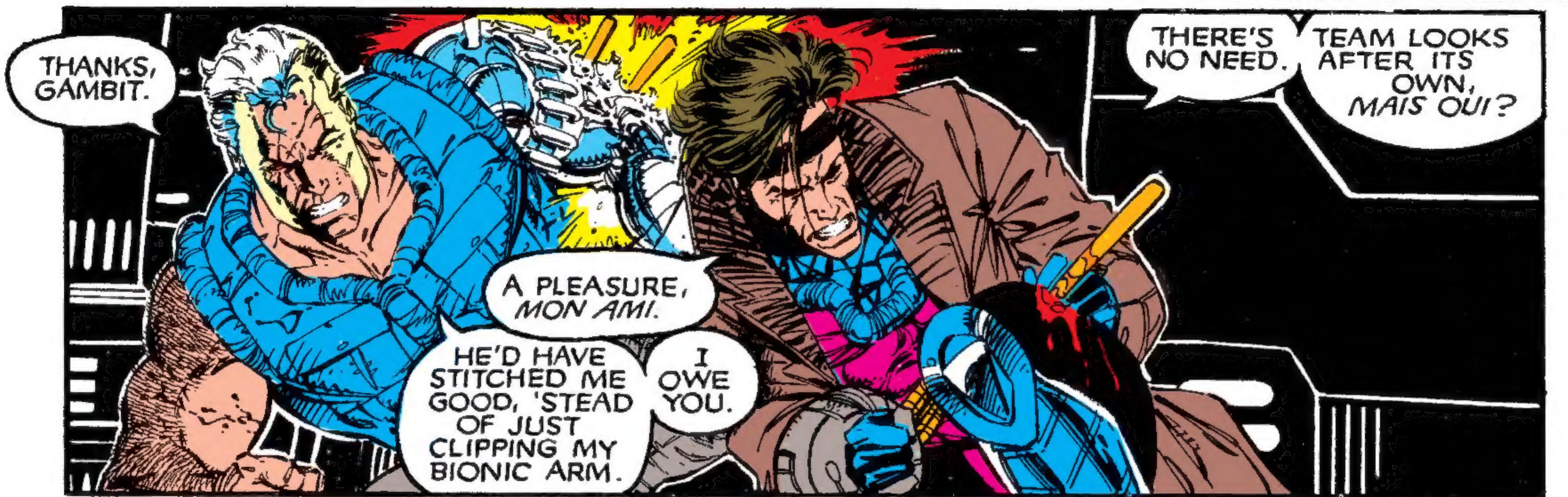
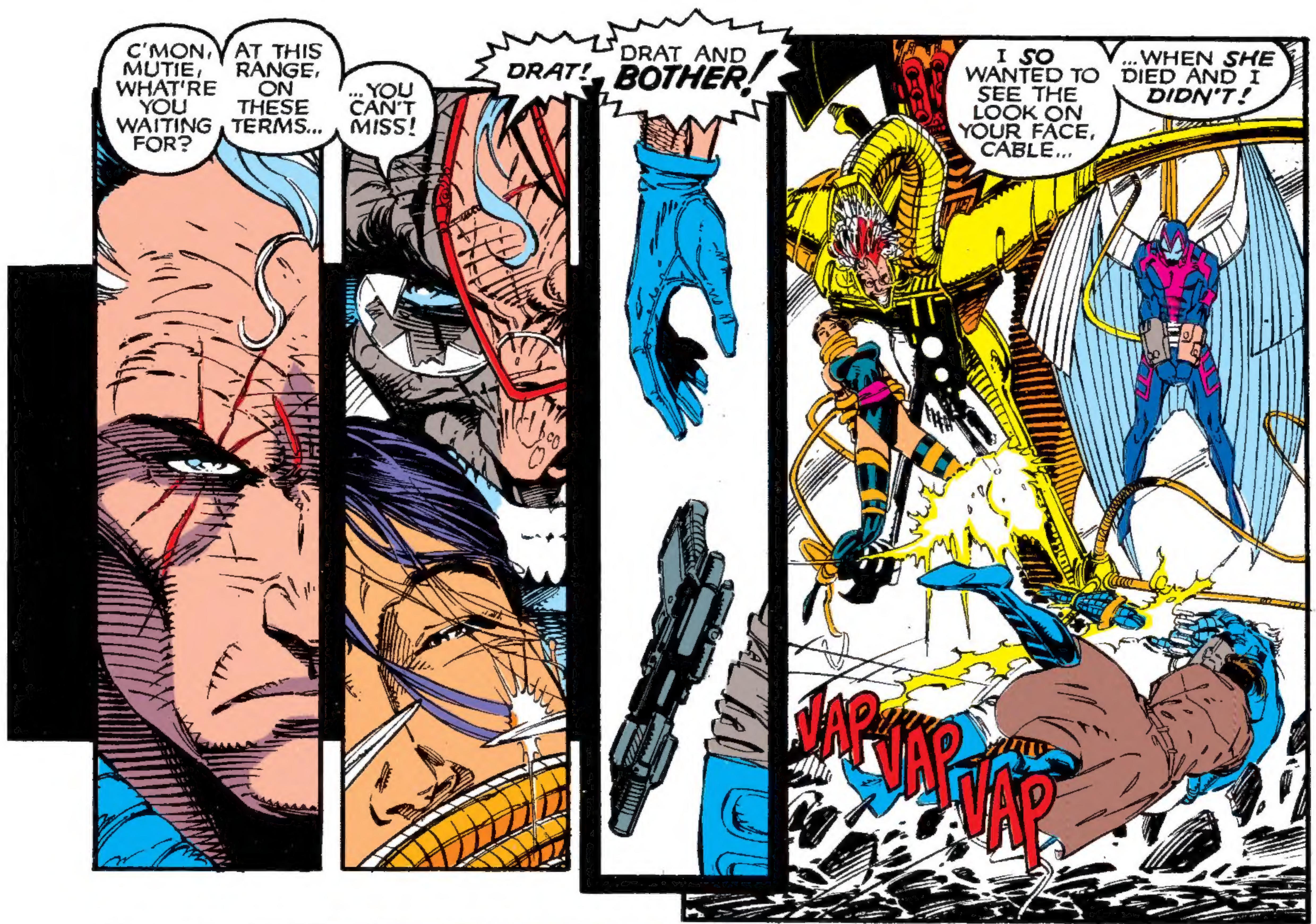
TO ENSURE  
SUCH  
OUTBURSTS  
DO NOT--  
EVER--  
RE-OCCUR!

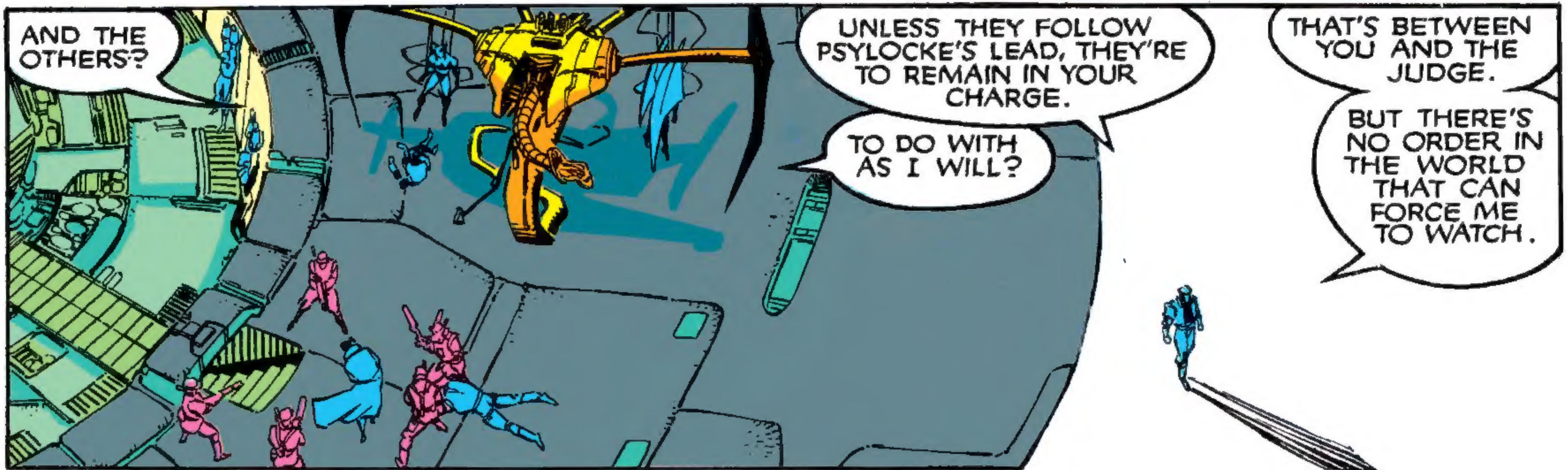
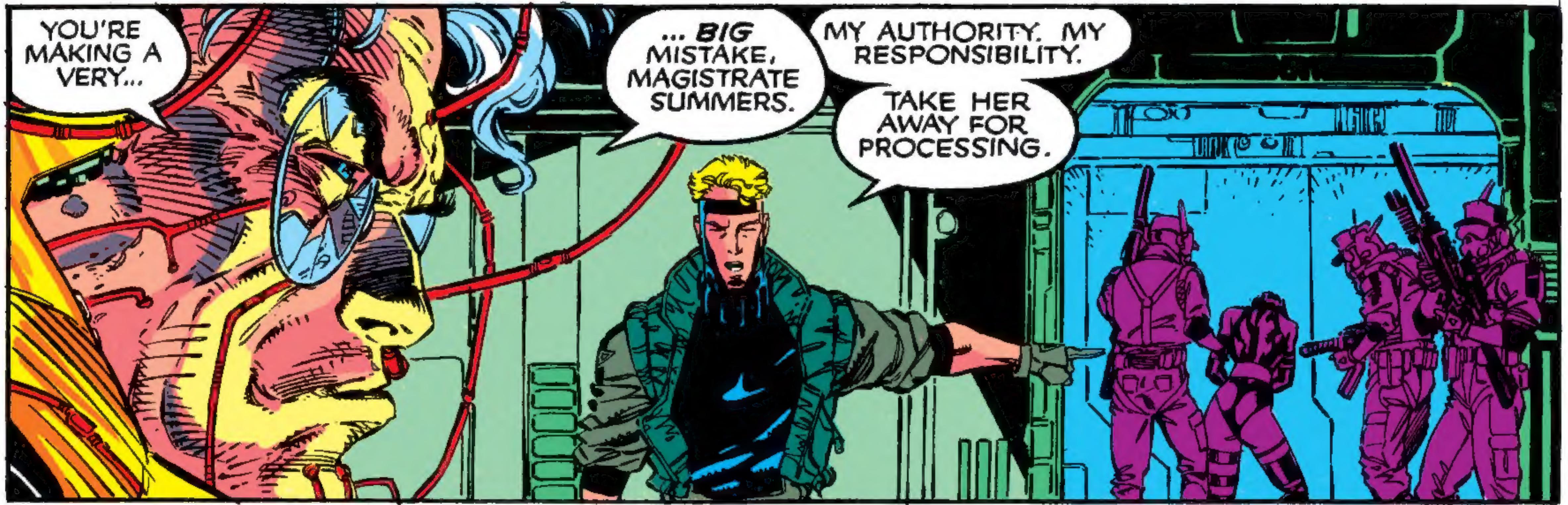
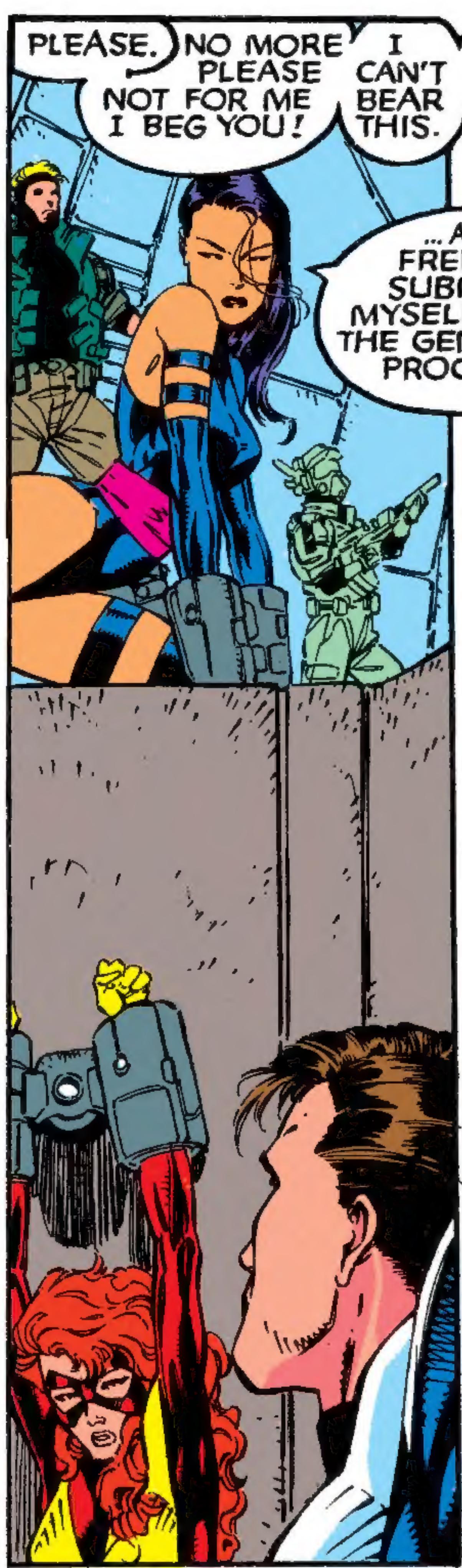
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What a day  
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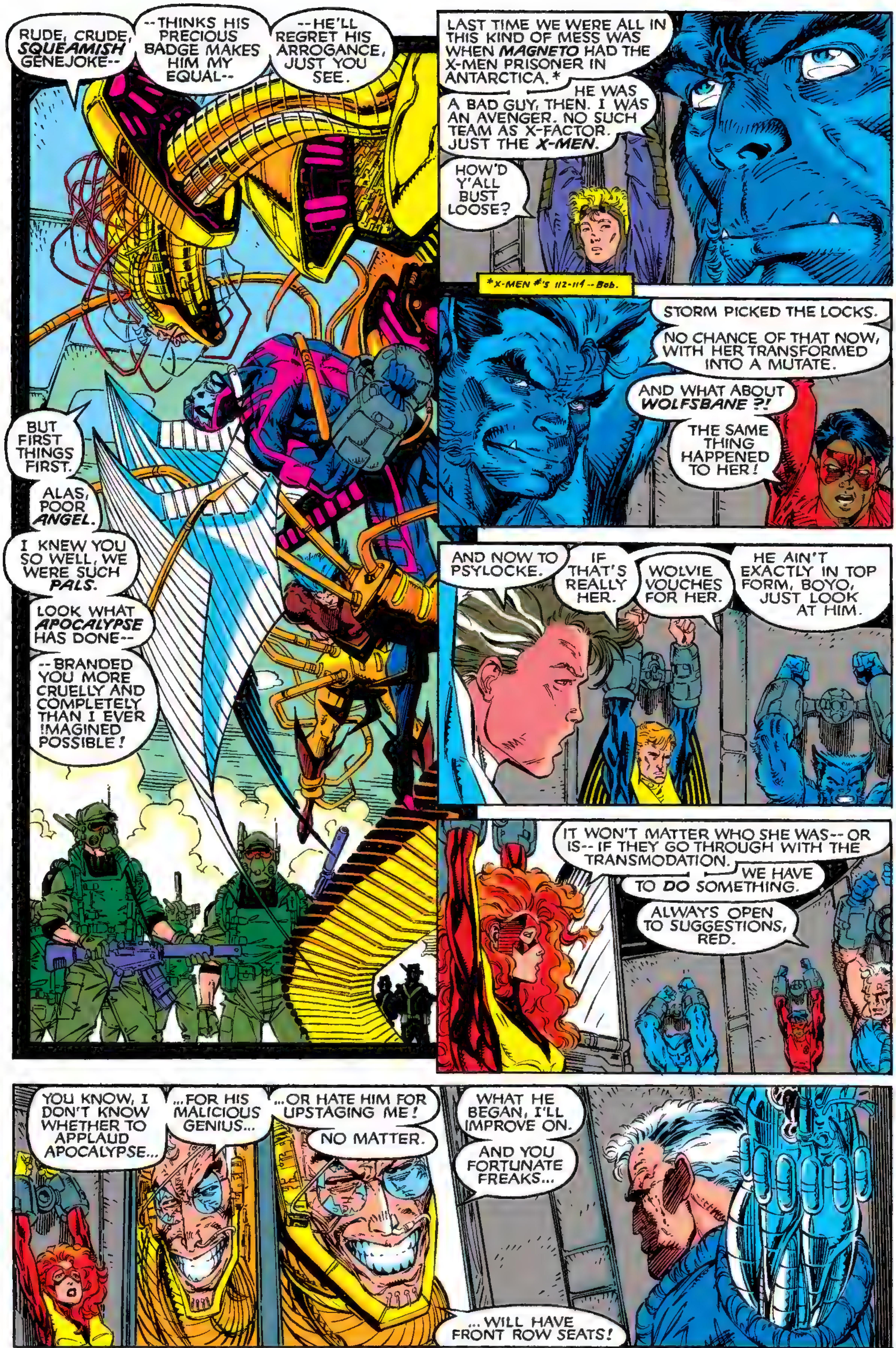


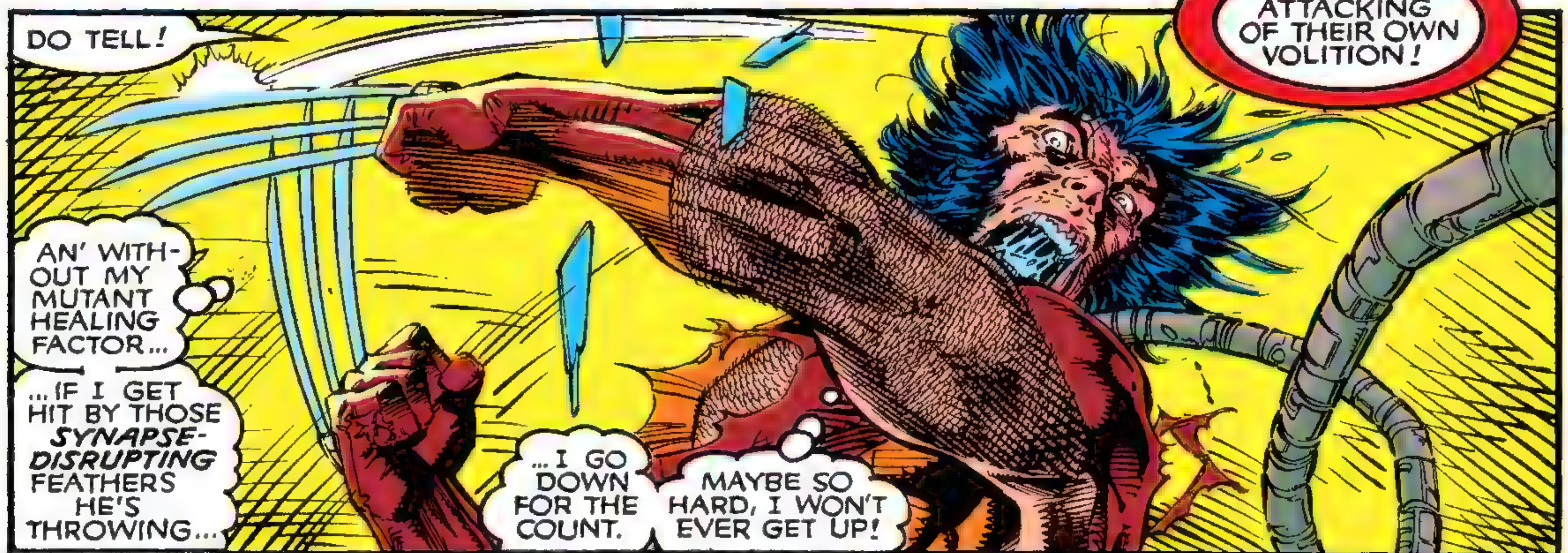
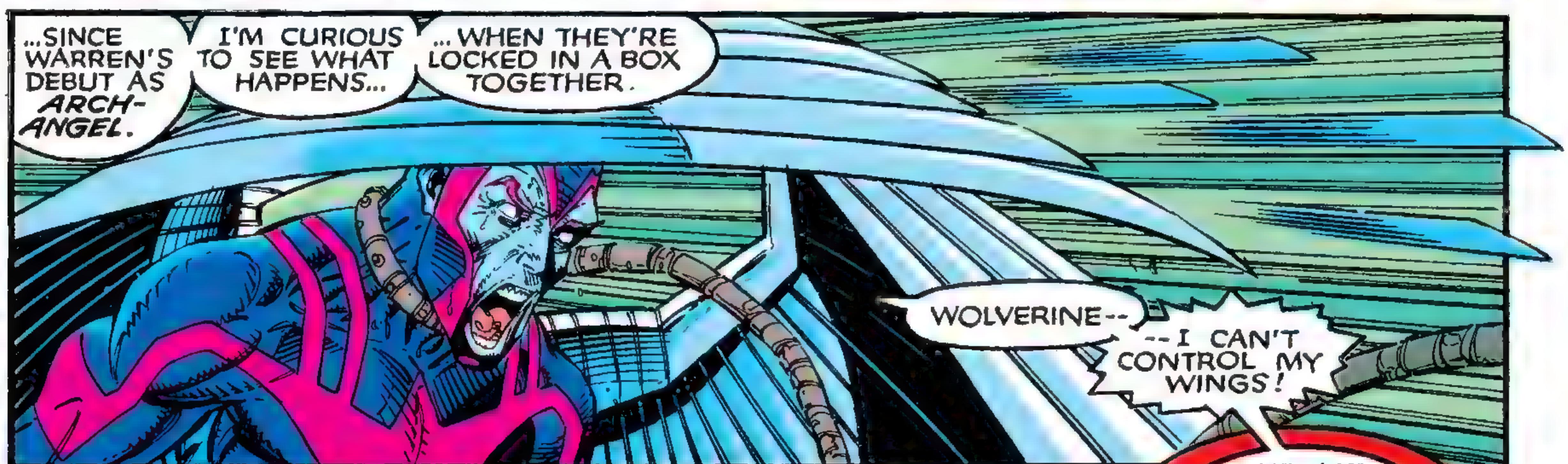
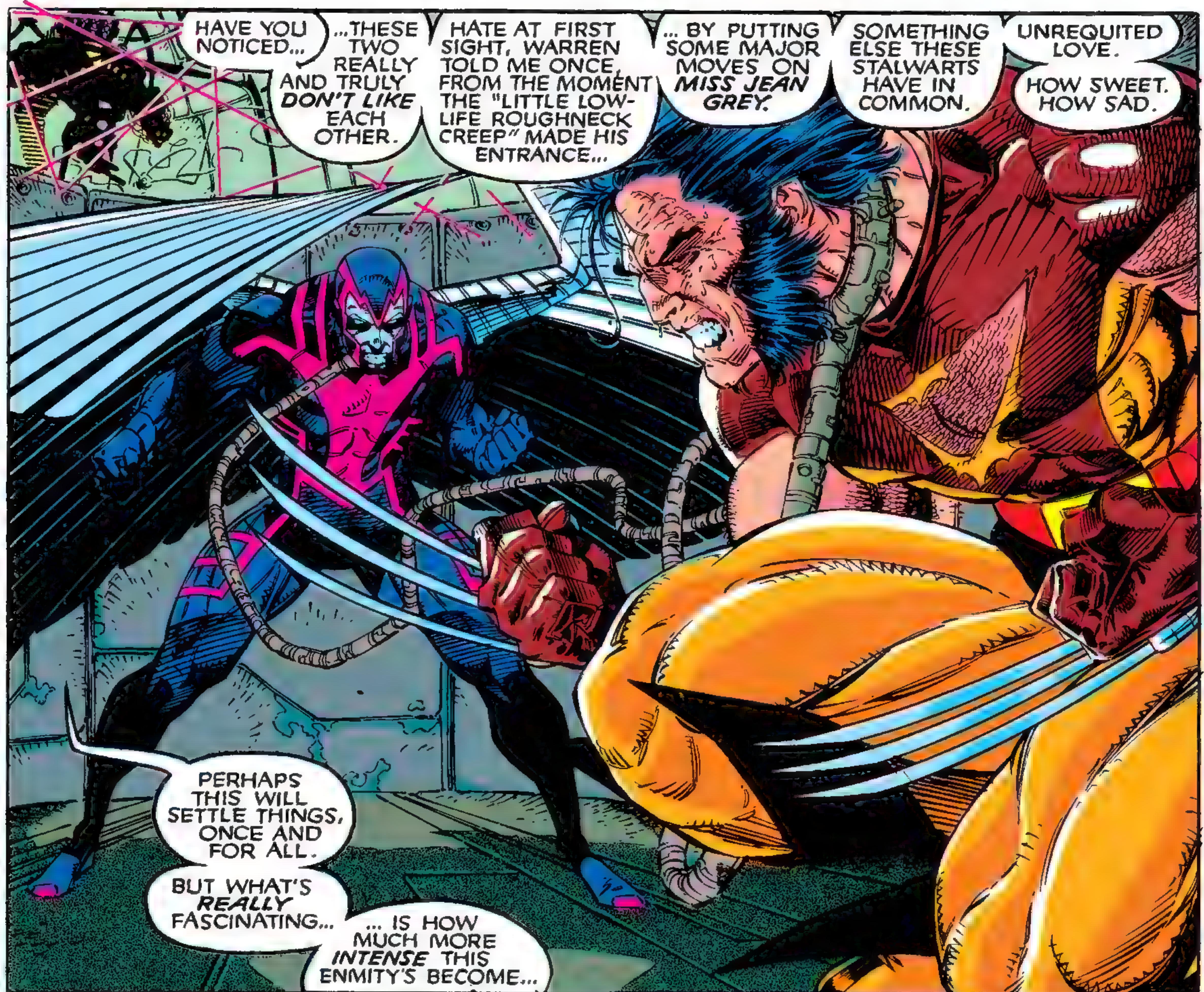












BEST ALTERNATIVE...  
IS TO TAKE THE FIGHT TO HIM...  
UP CLOSE AND PERSONAL...

... WHERE MY CLAWS CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE.

WINGS ARE THE PRIMARY THREAT.

LOSING HIS POWERS HAS WEAKENED THE BOY'S CONTROL OVER THEM.

SOMETHING ABOUT EACH OF US MAKES THE OTHER NUTS.

SO MUCH SO, ANGEL ISN'T EVEN TRYING TO ESCAPE!

HE'S OUT FOR BLOOD!

AND THE MORE THE WINGS GET, THE MORE THEY'LL WANT. ANYONE WHO GETS TOSSED IN HERE, THEY'LL BE FAIR GAME.

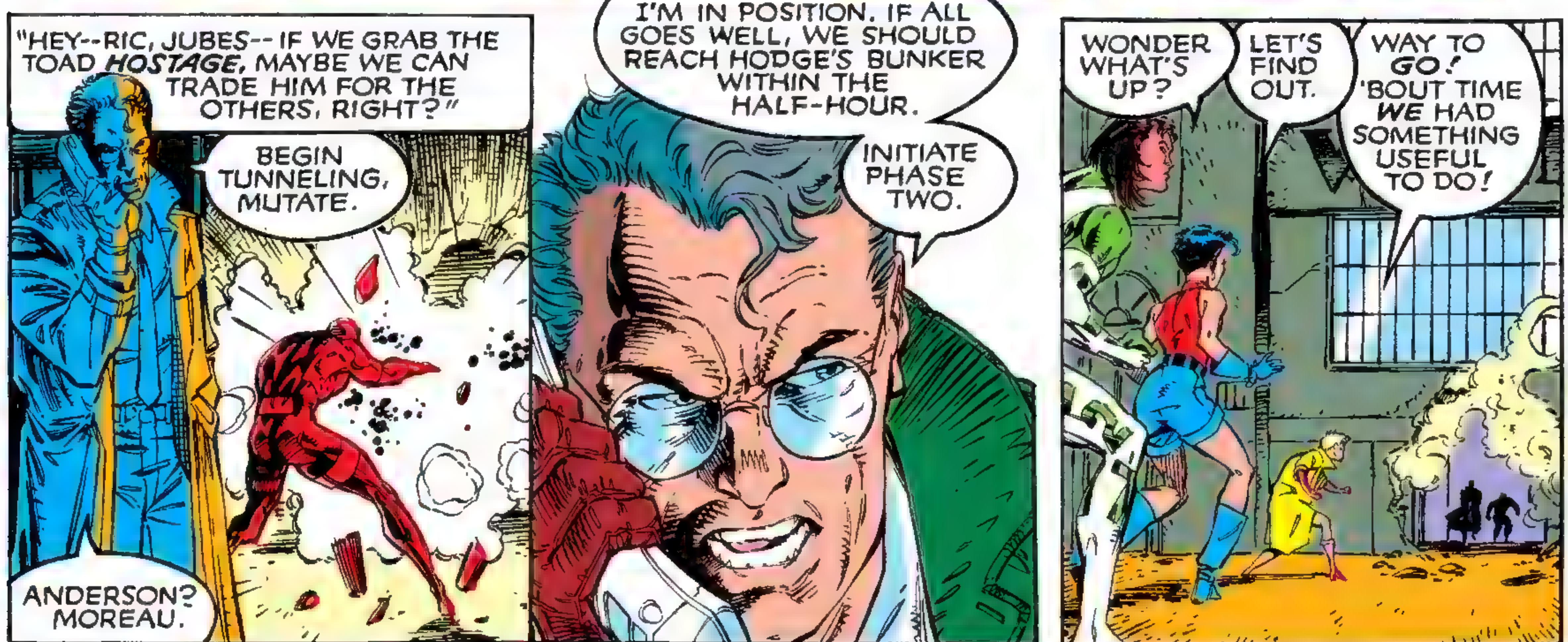
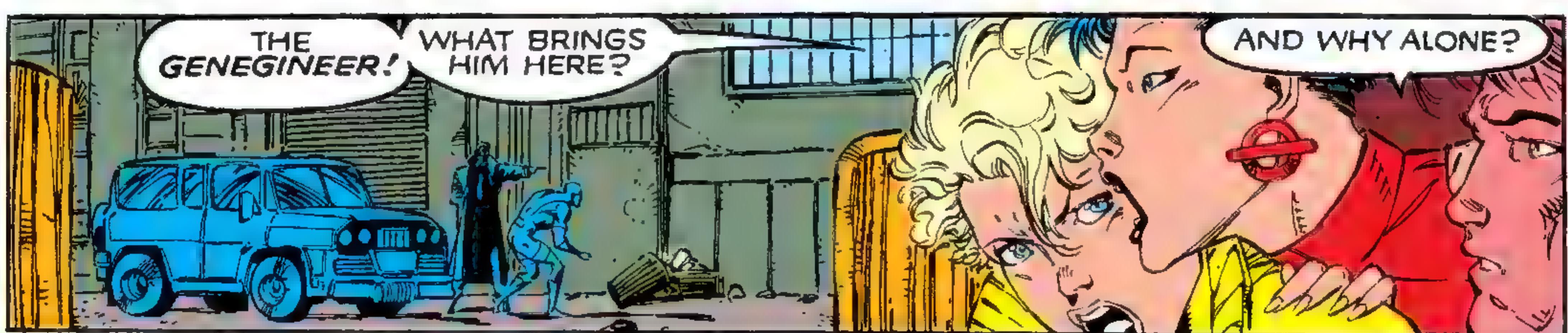
SIMPLE CHOICE: EITHER I TAKE WORLINGTON'S WINGS, OR HIS LIFE !

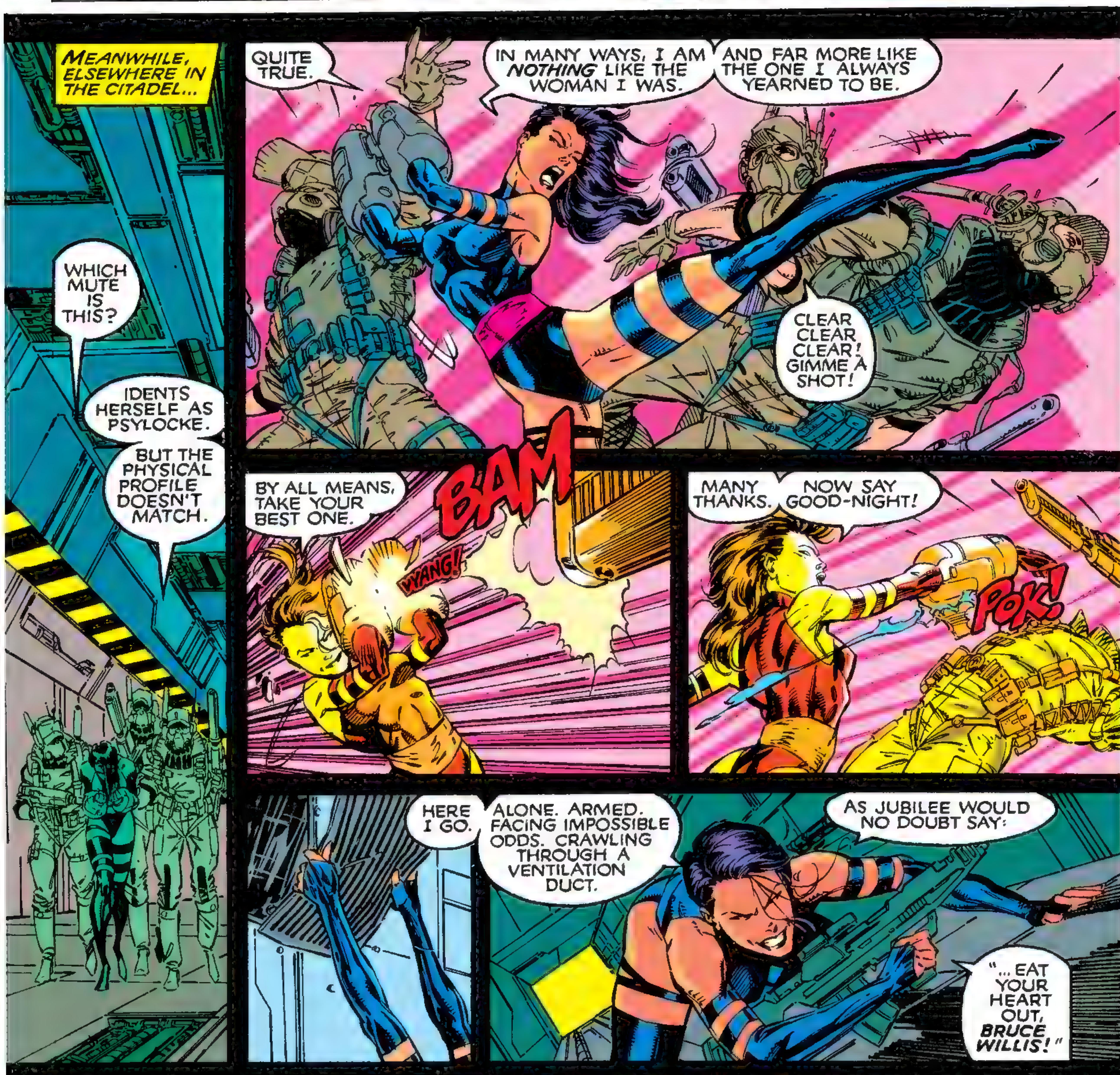
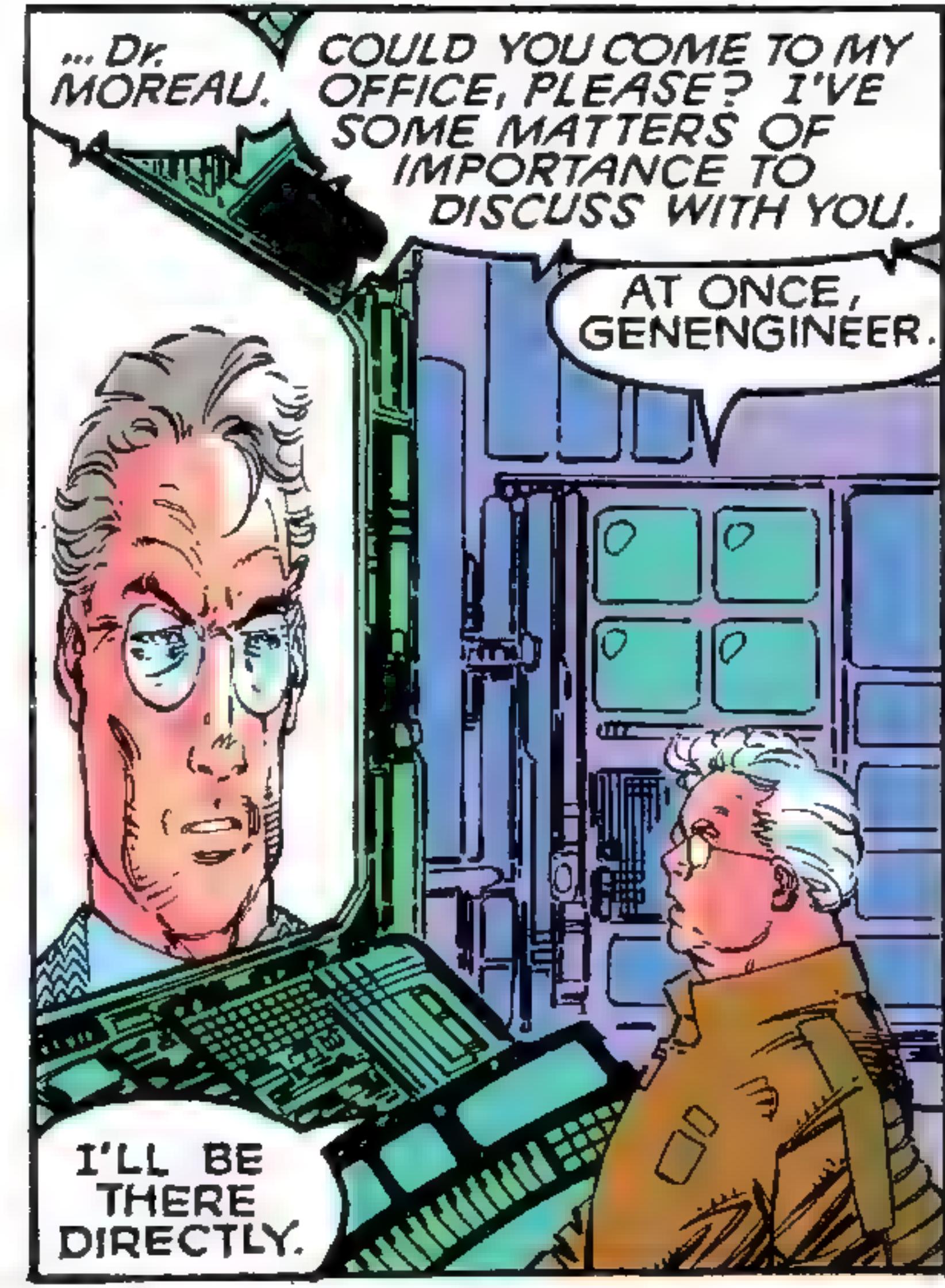
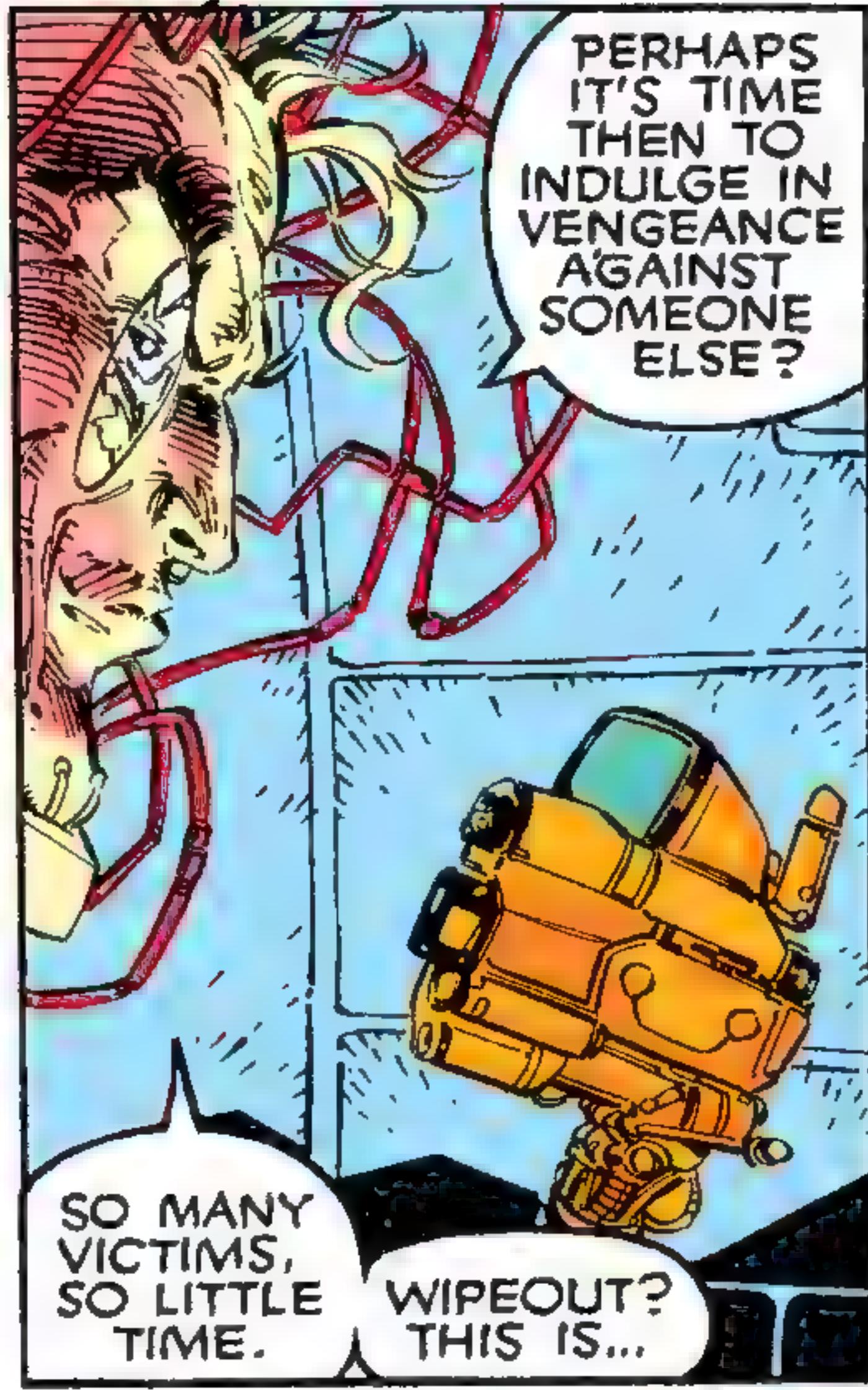
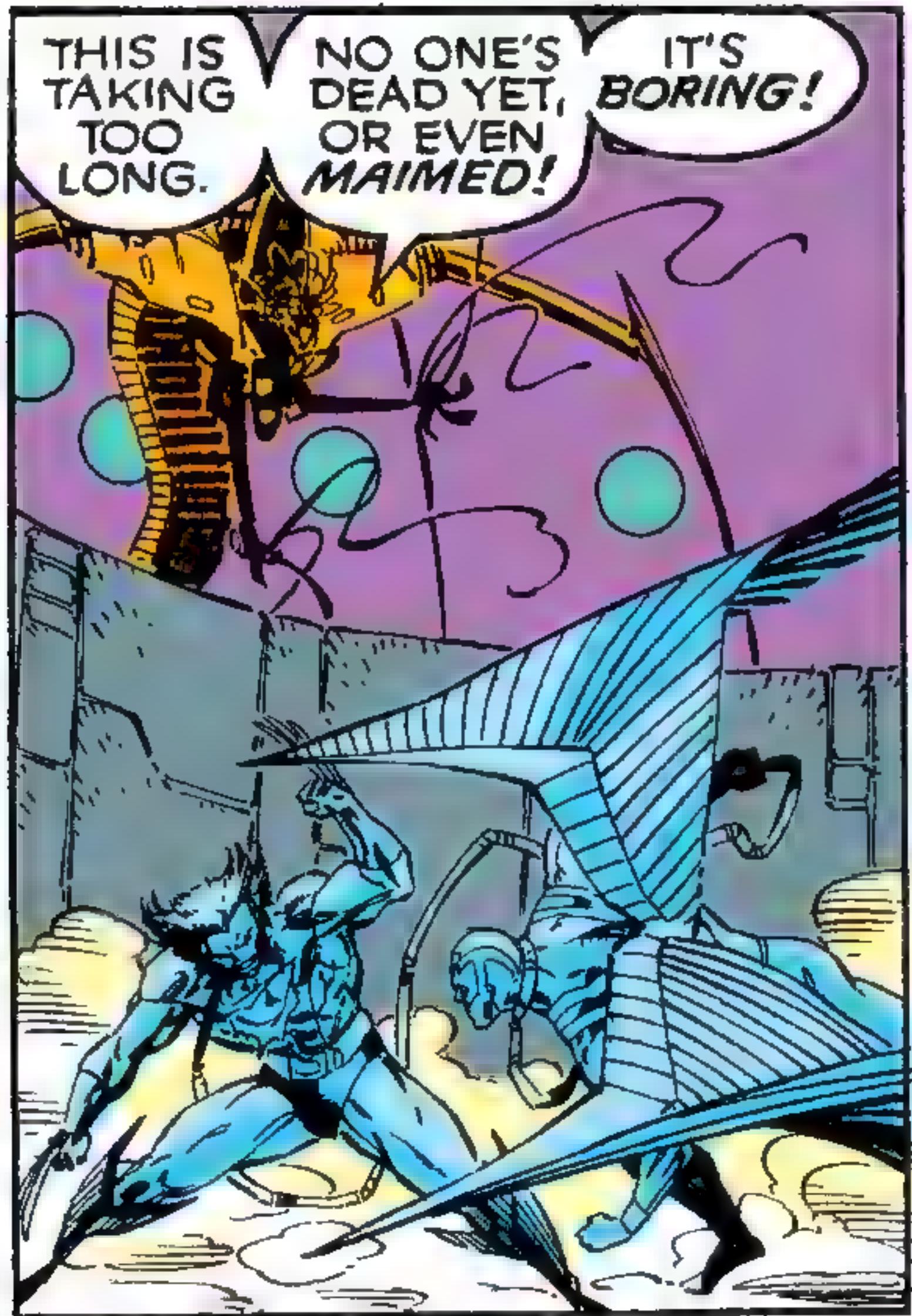
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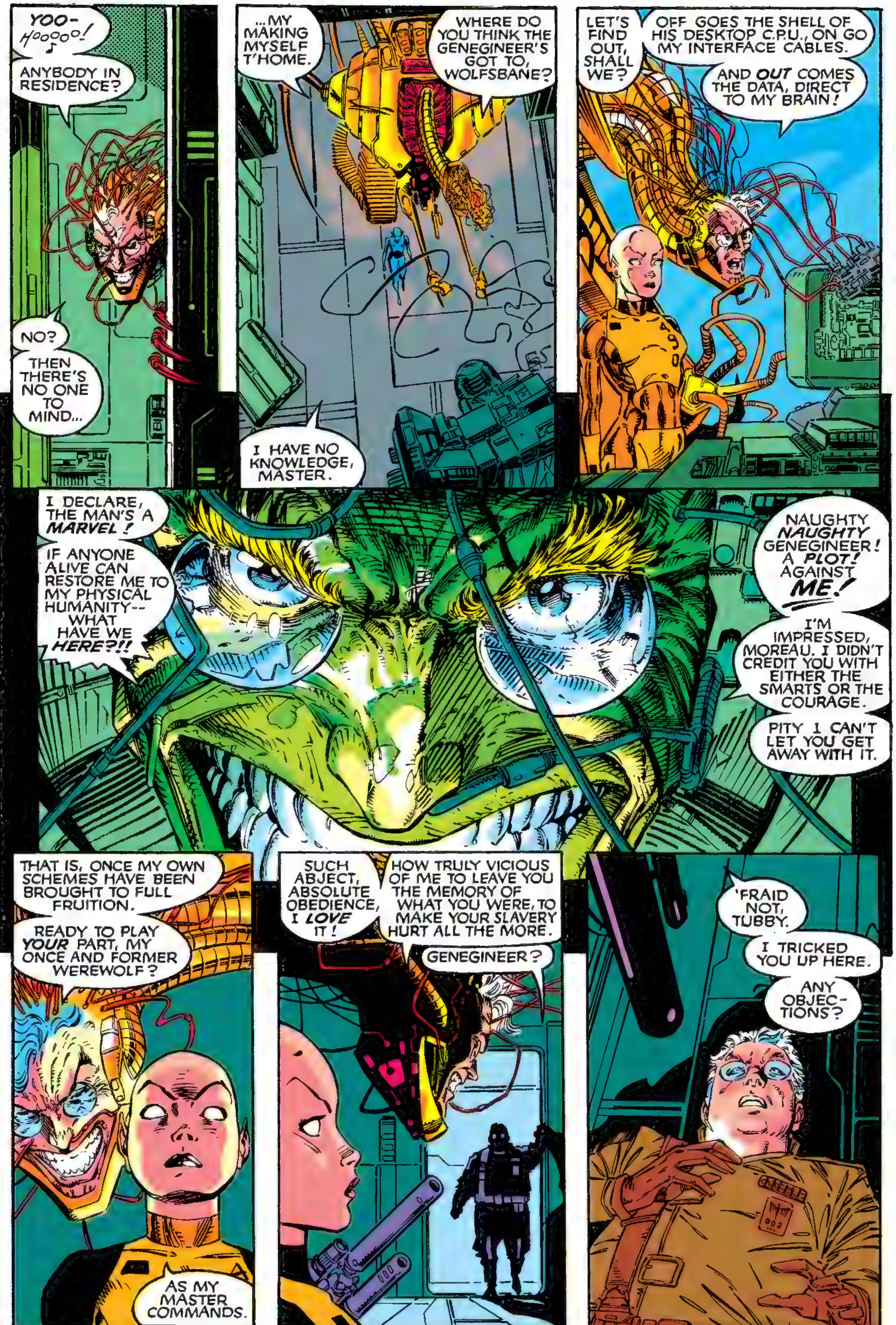
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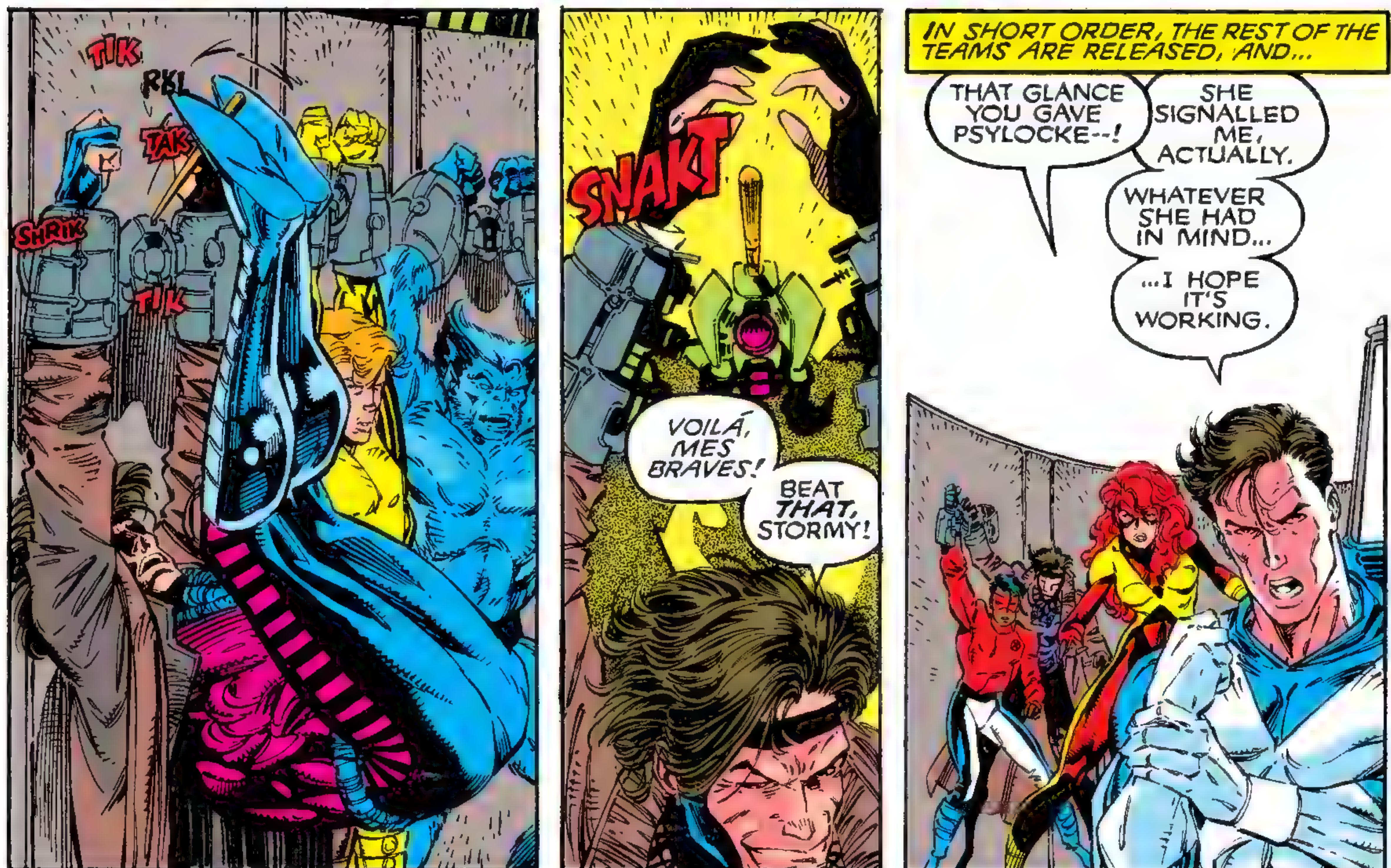
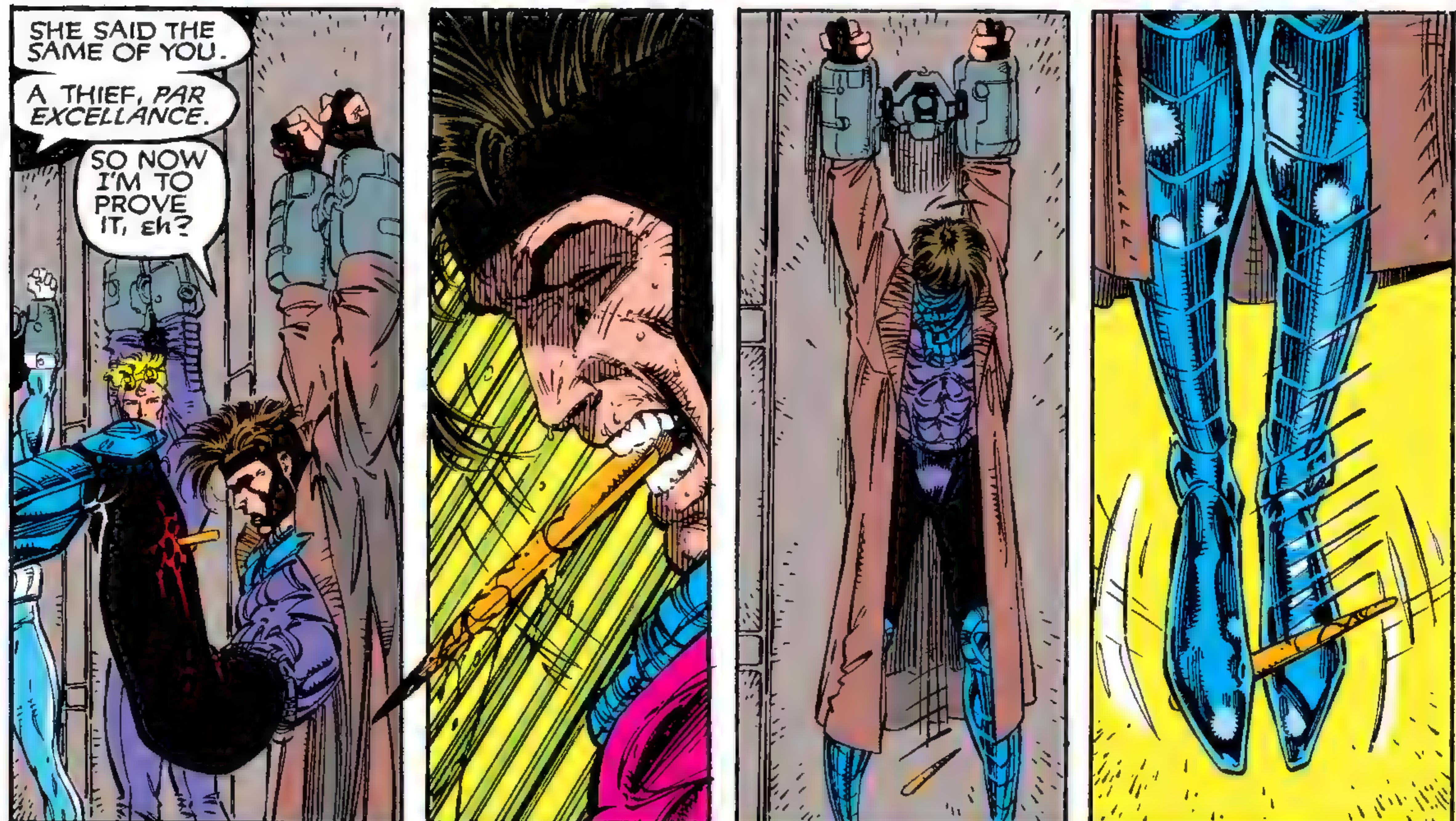
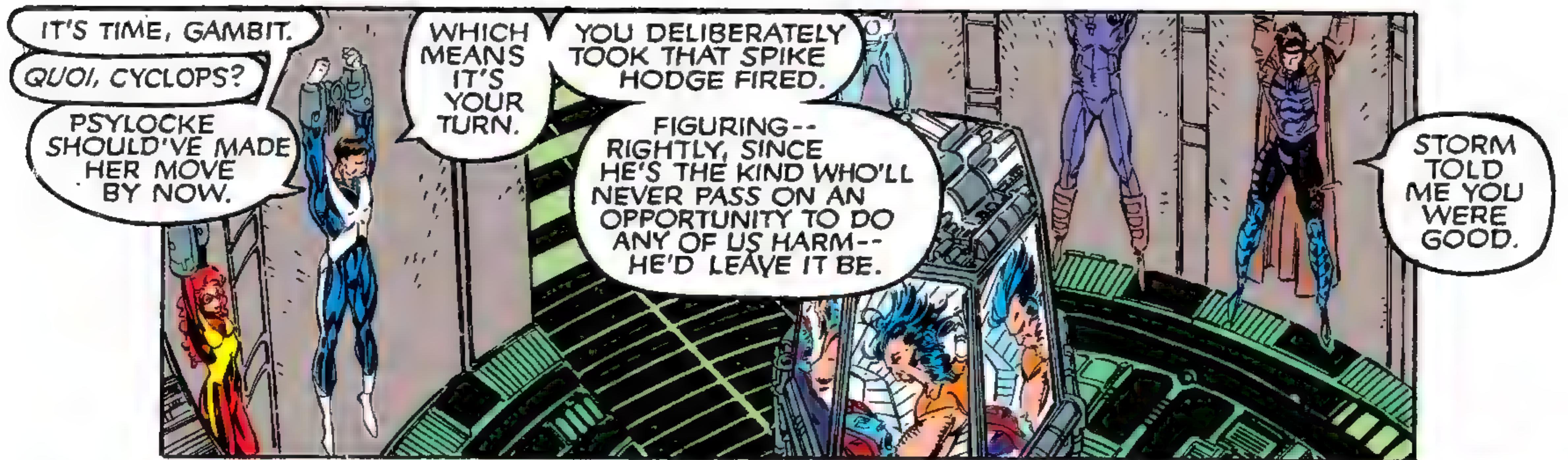
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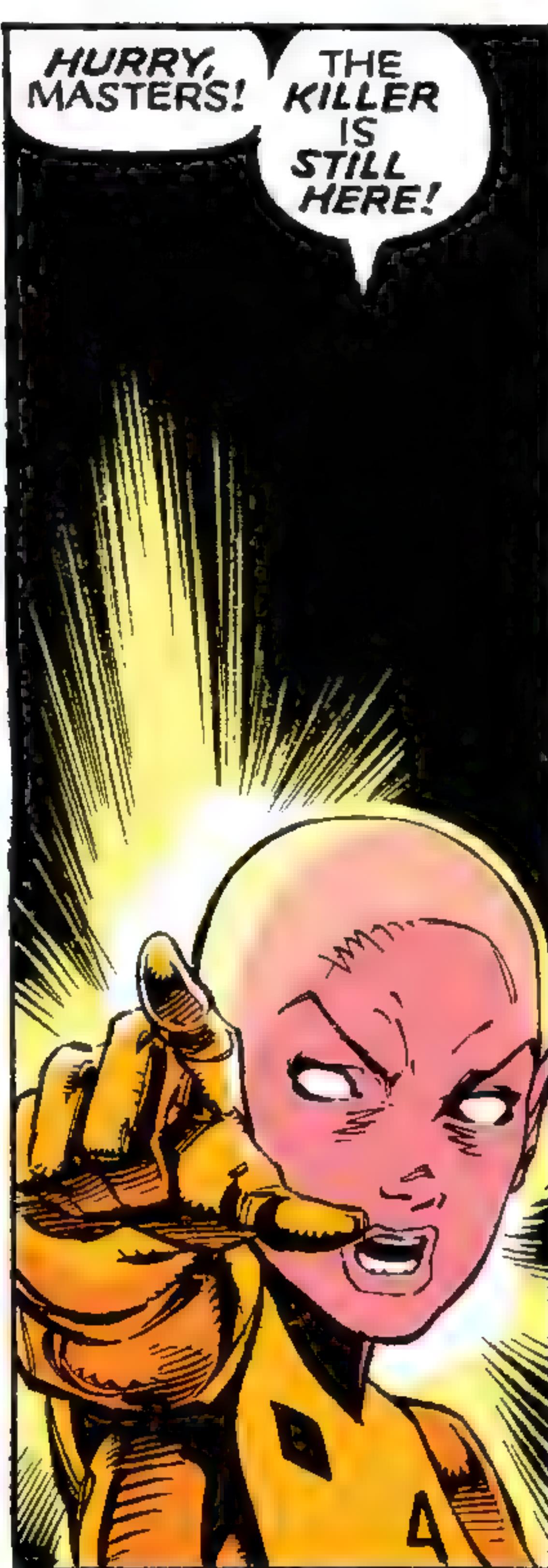
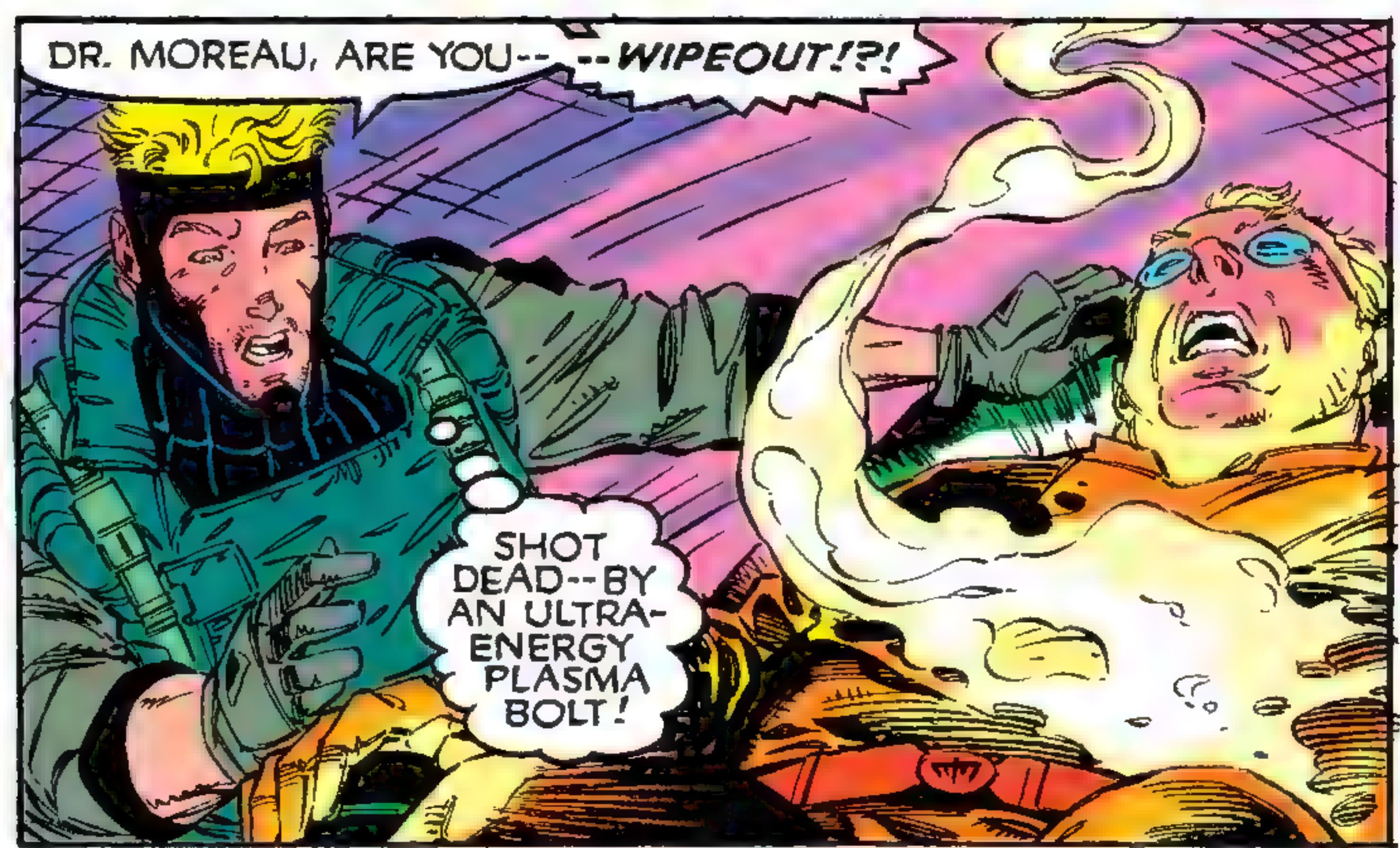
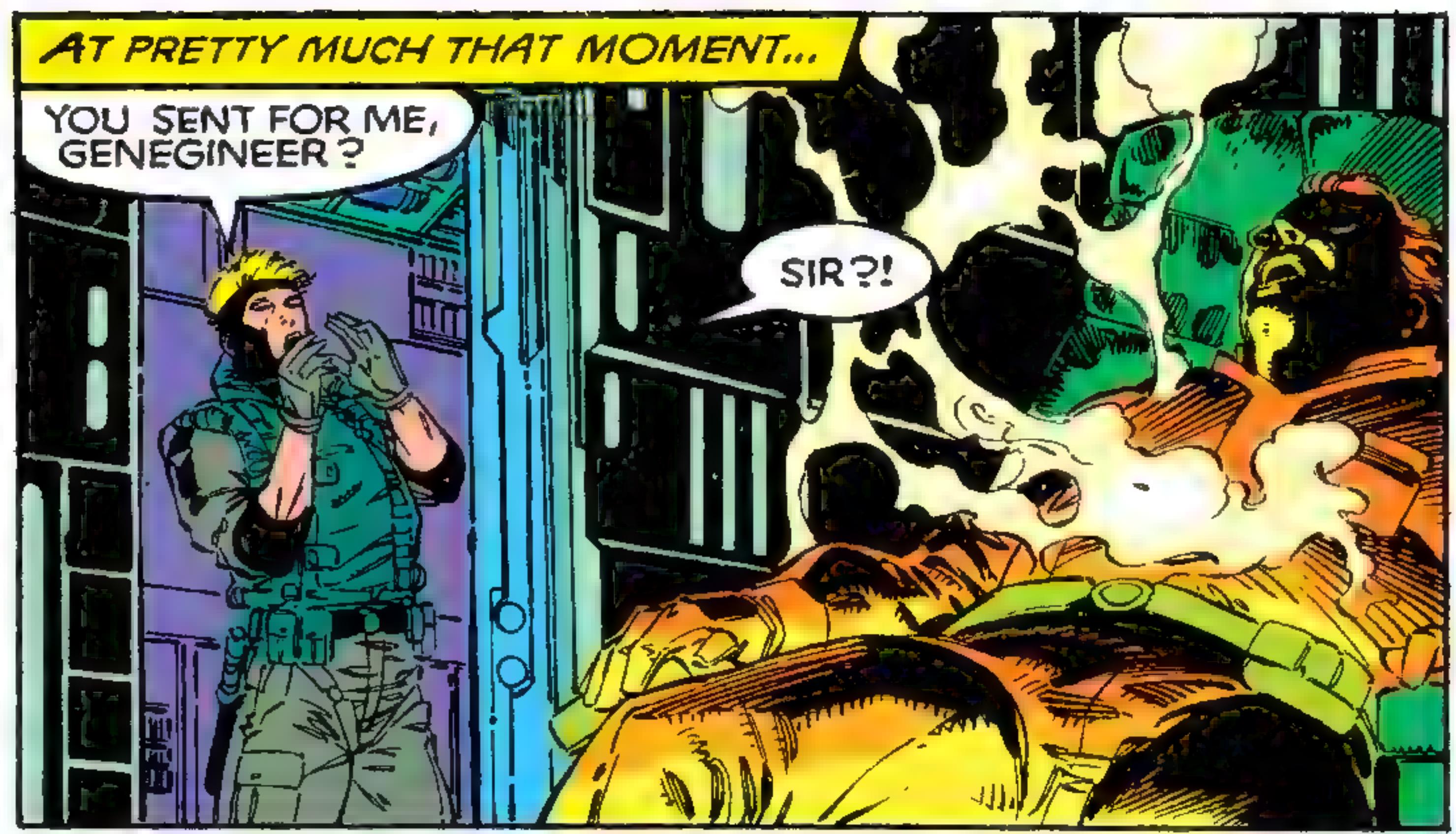
NOW THIS IS WHAT I CALL A FIGHT!

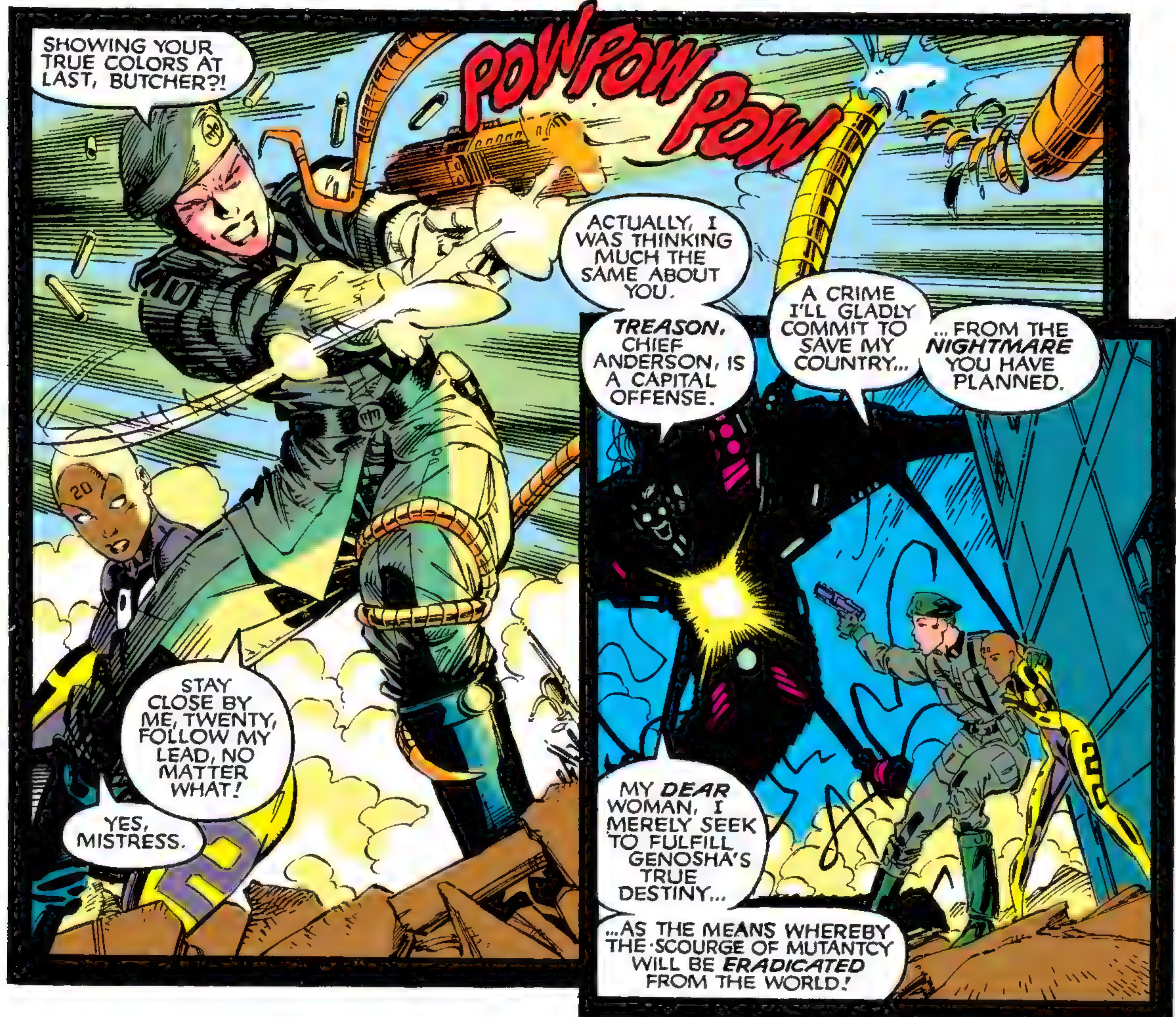
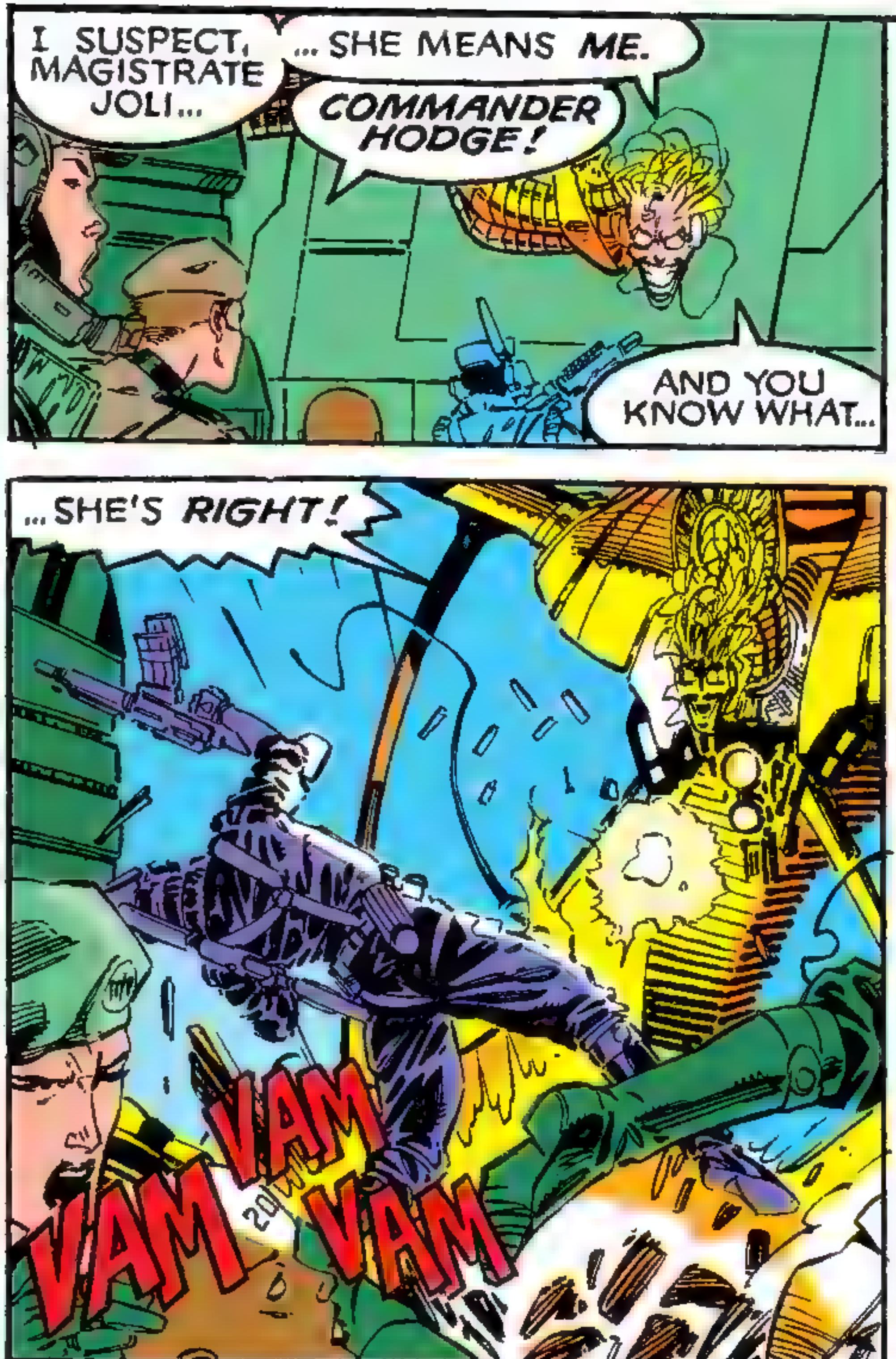
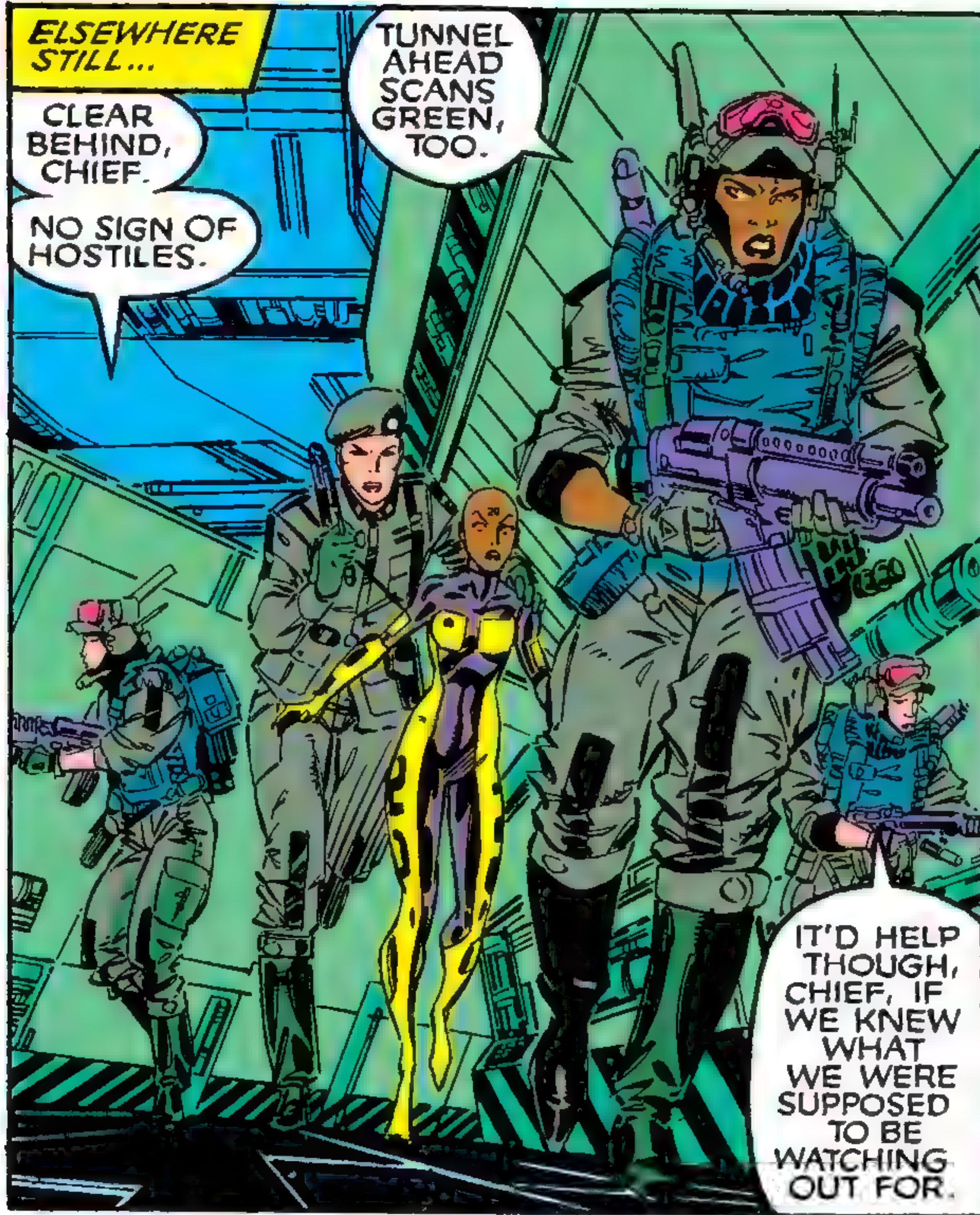


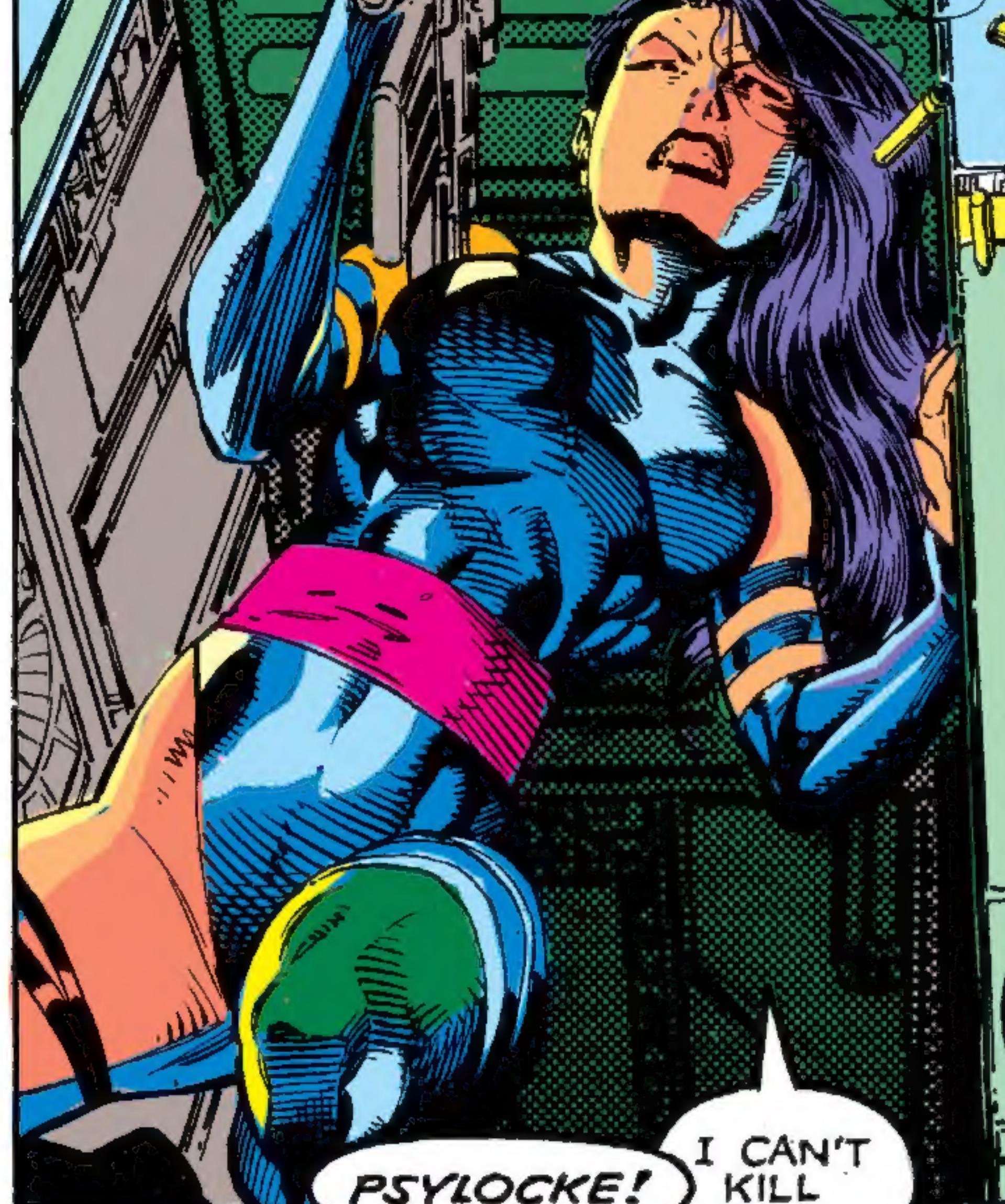
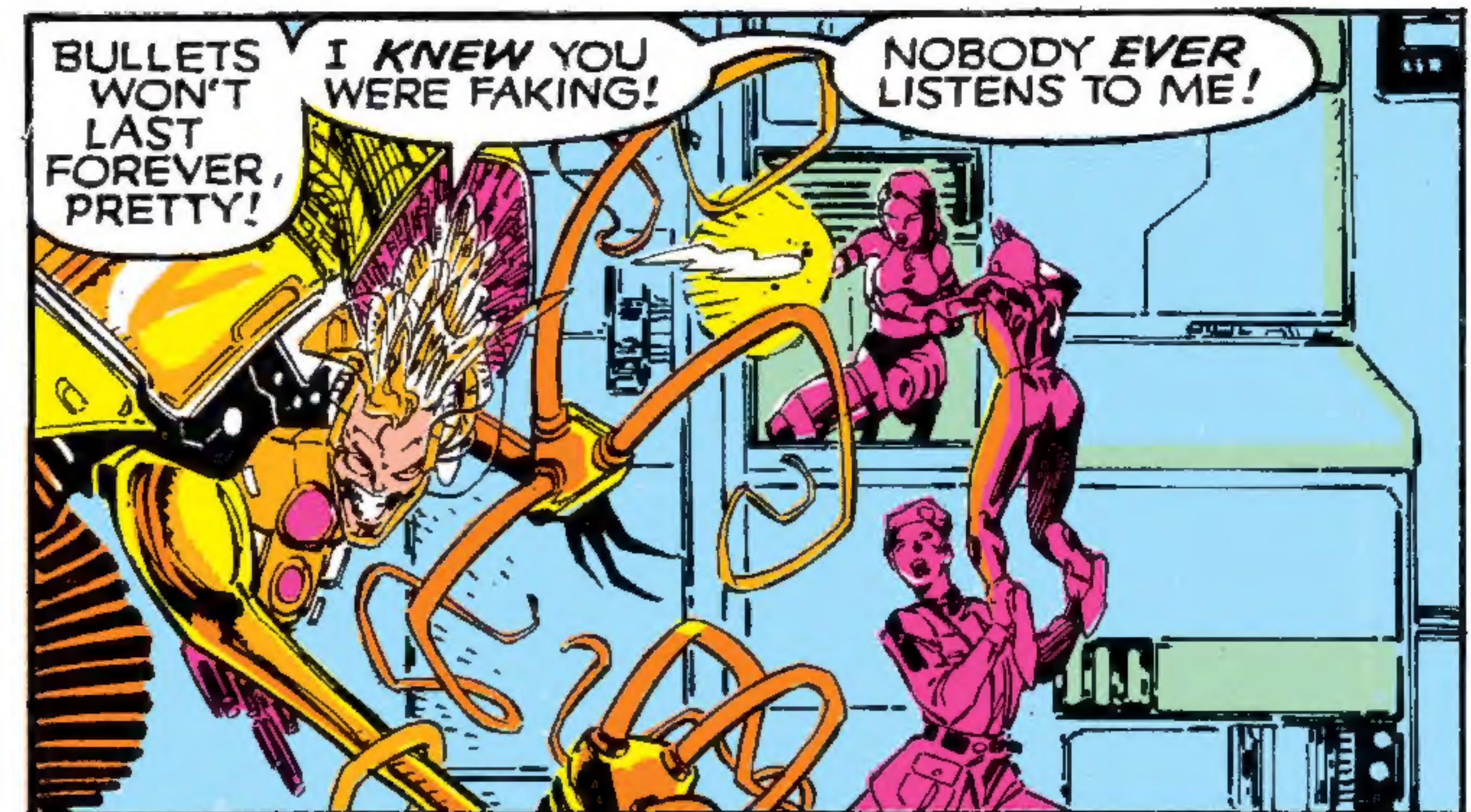
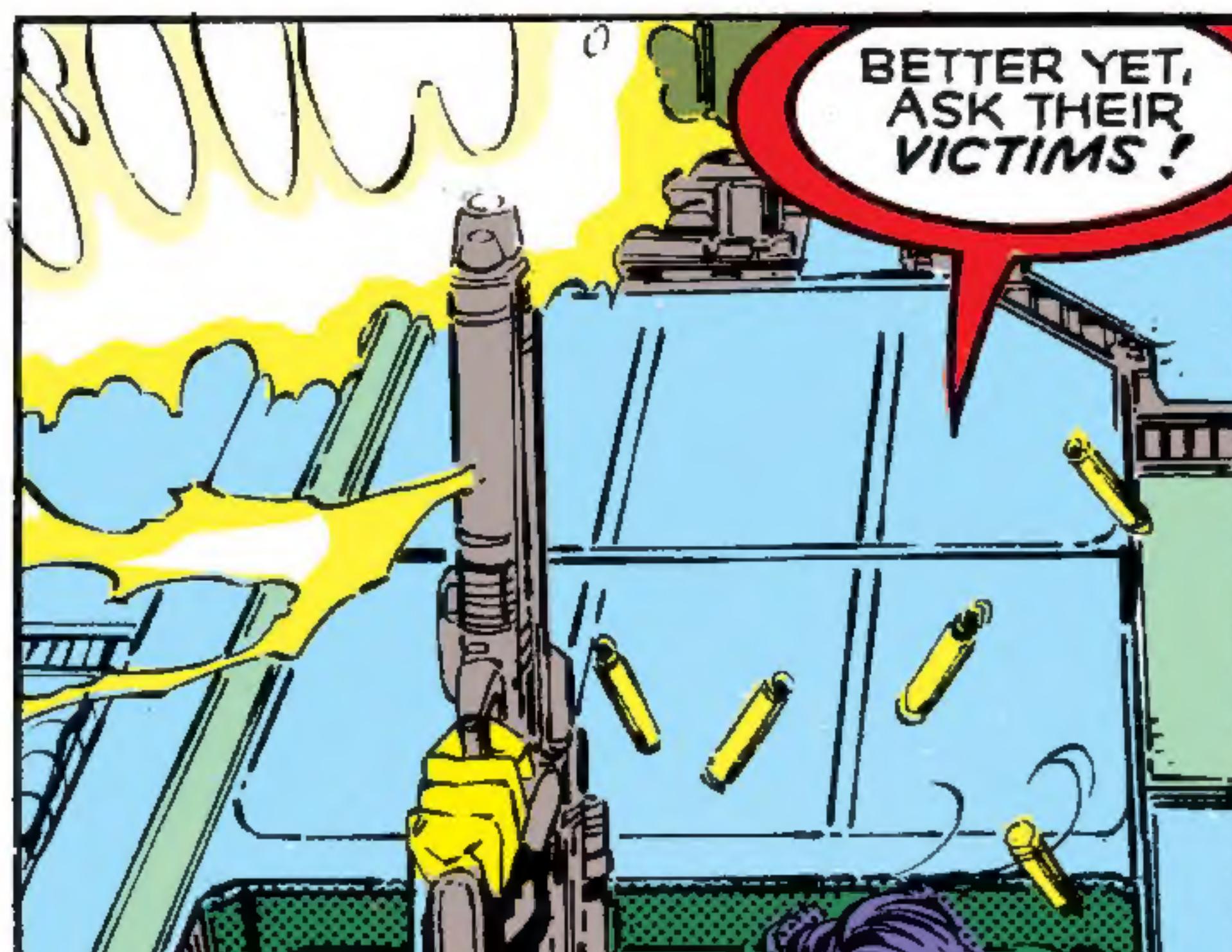
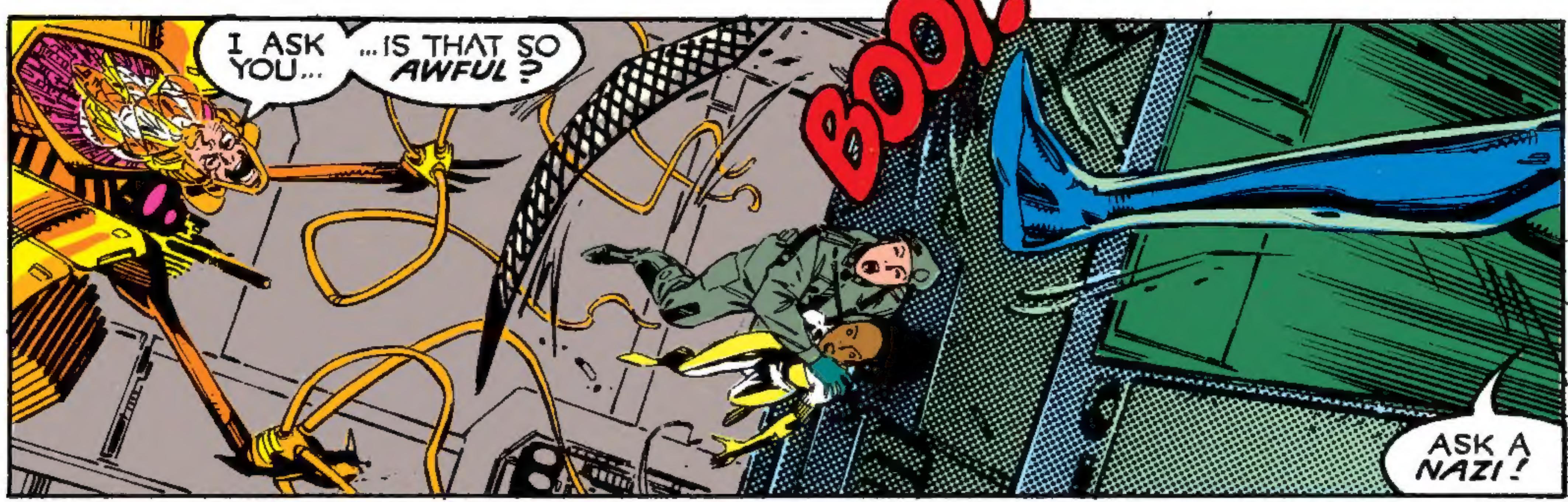


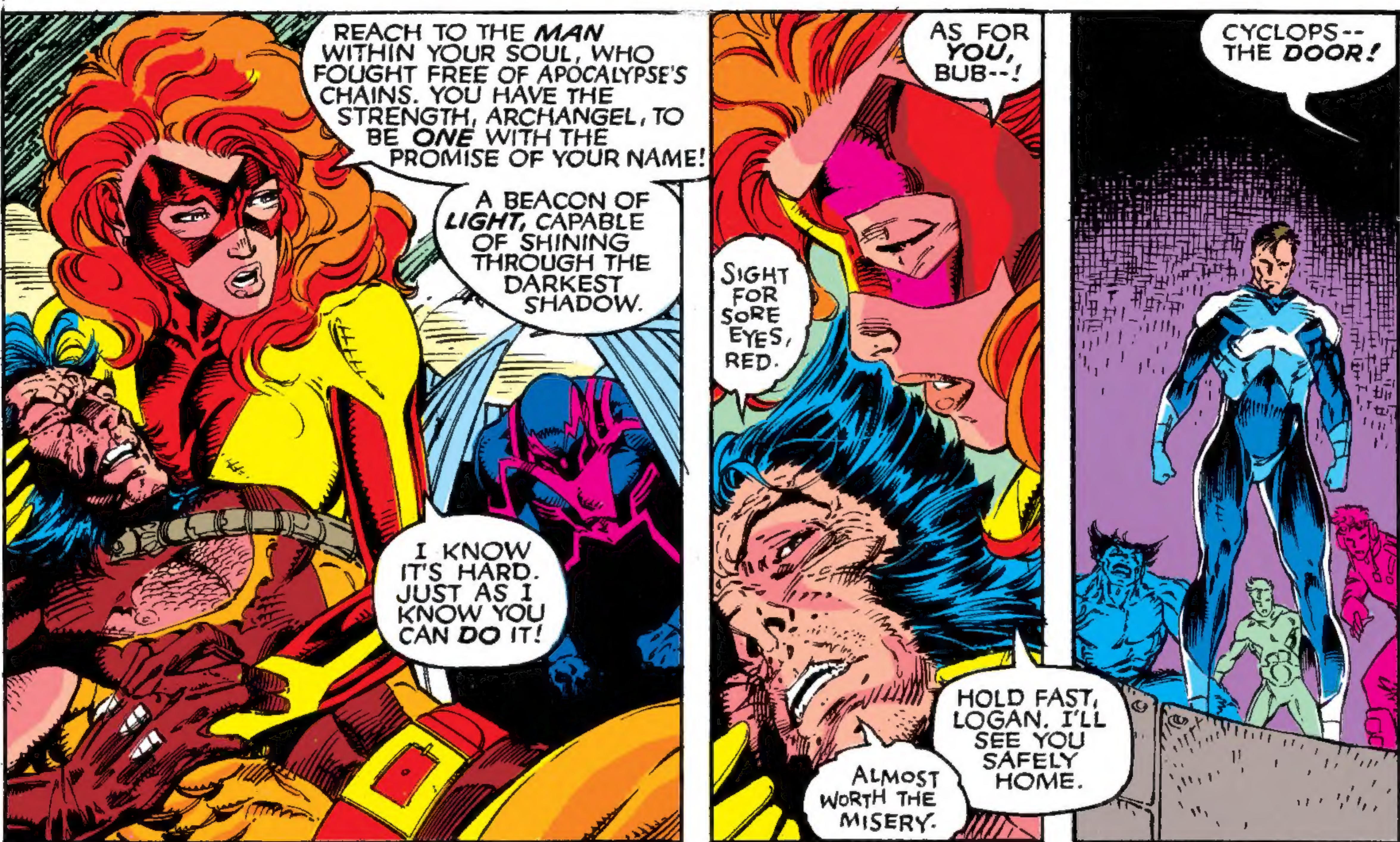
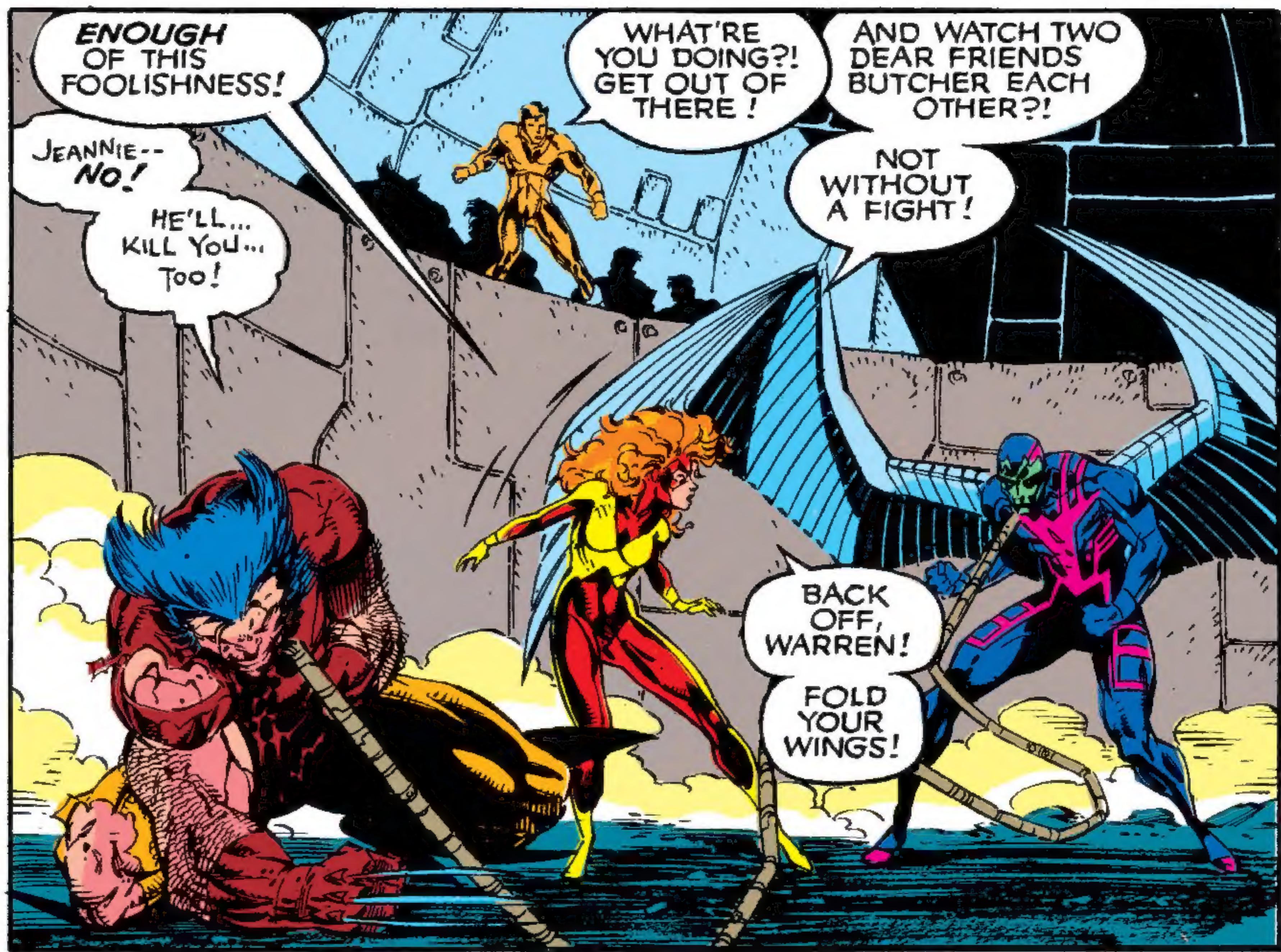


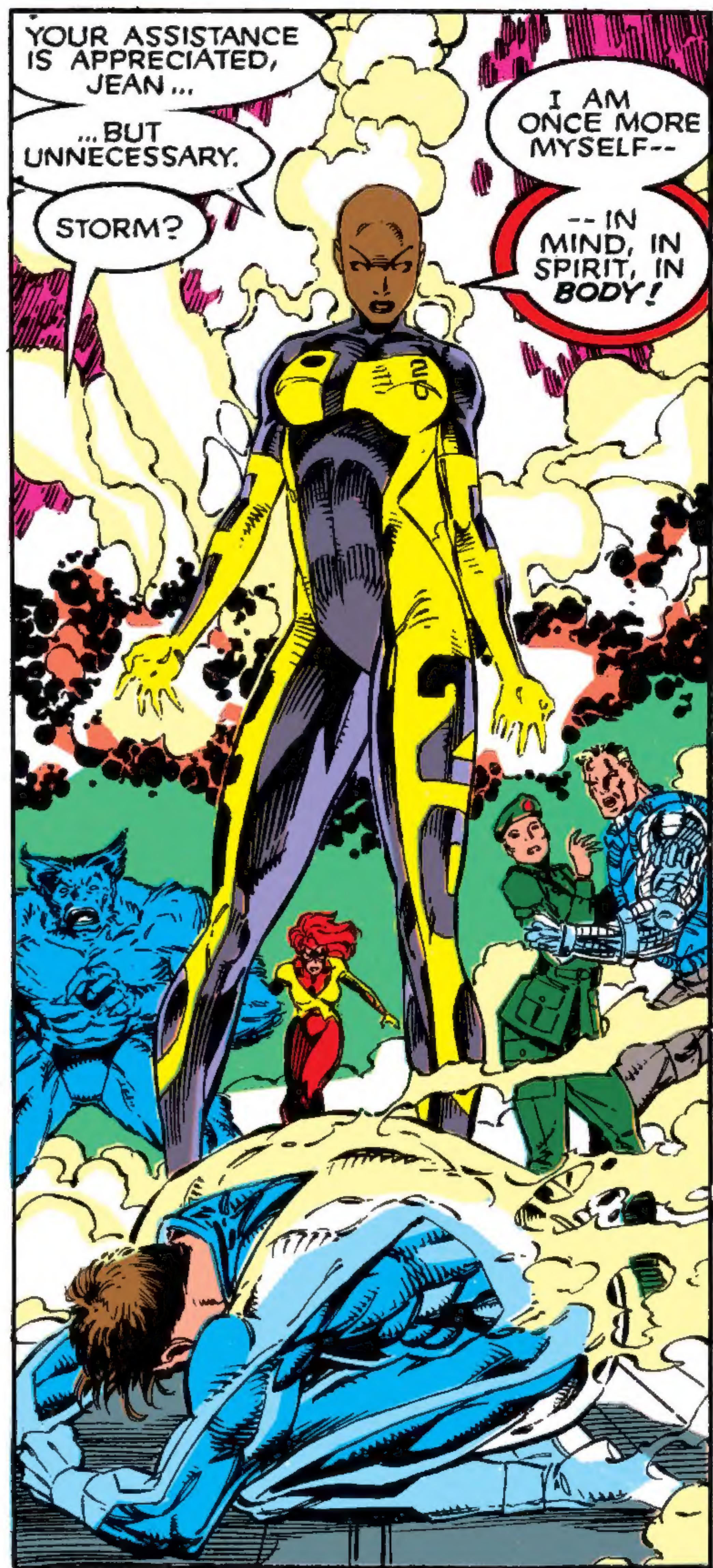
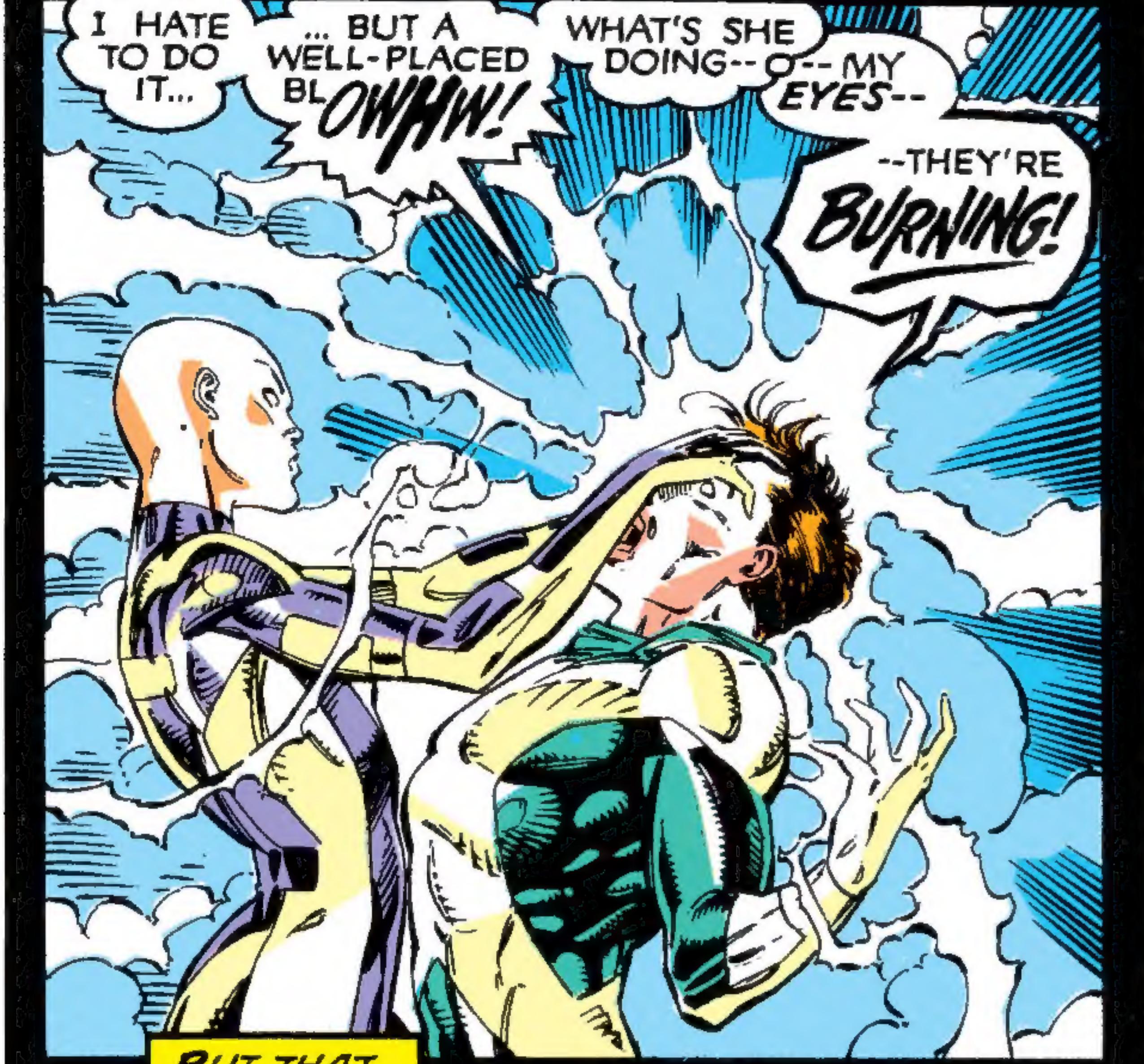
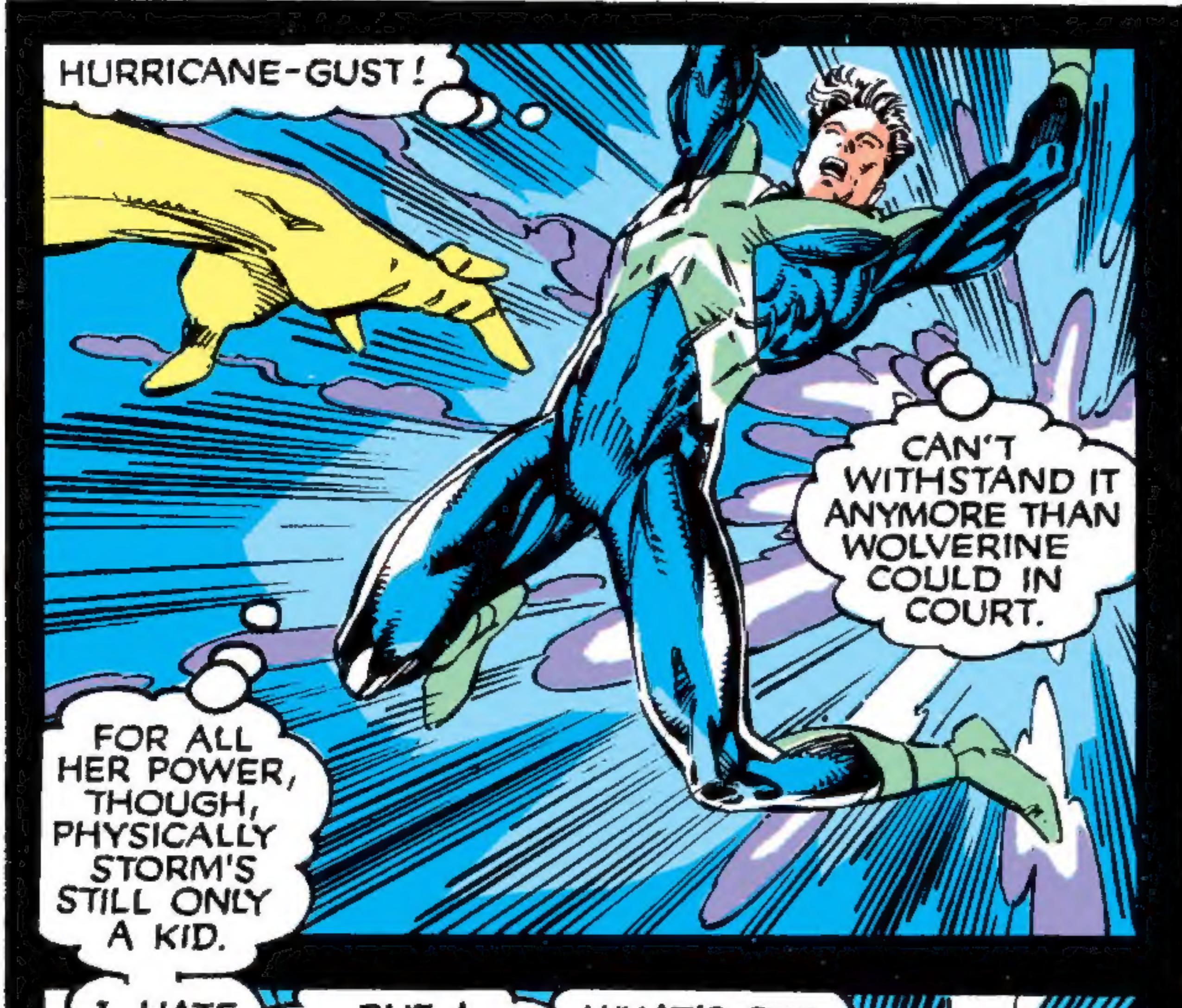


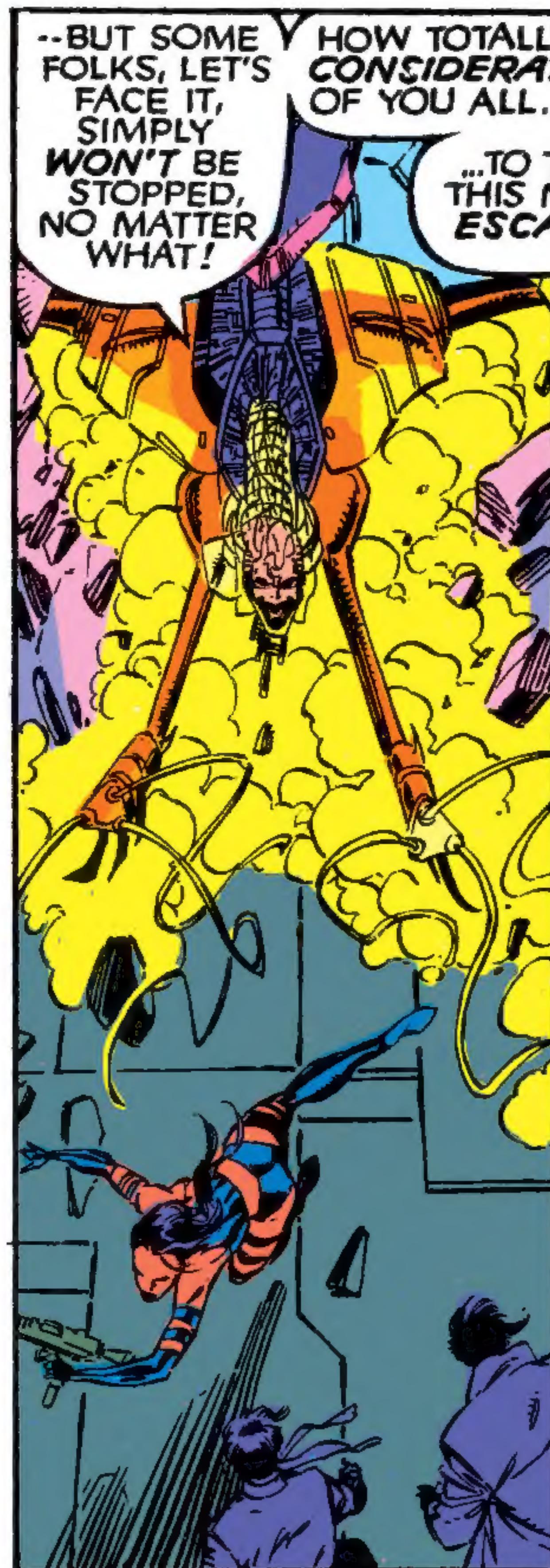
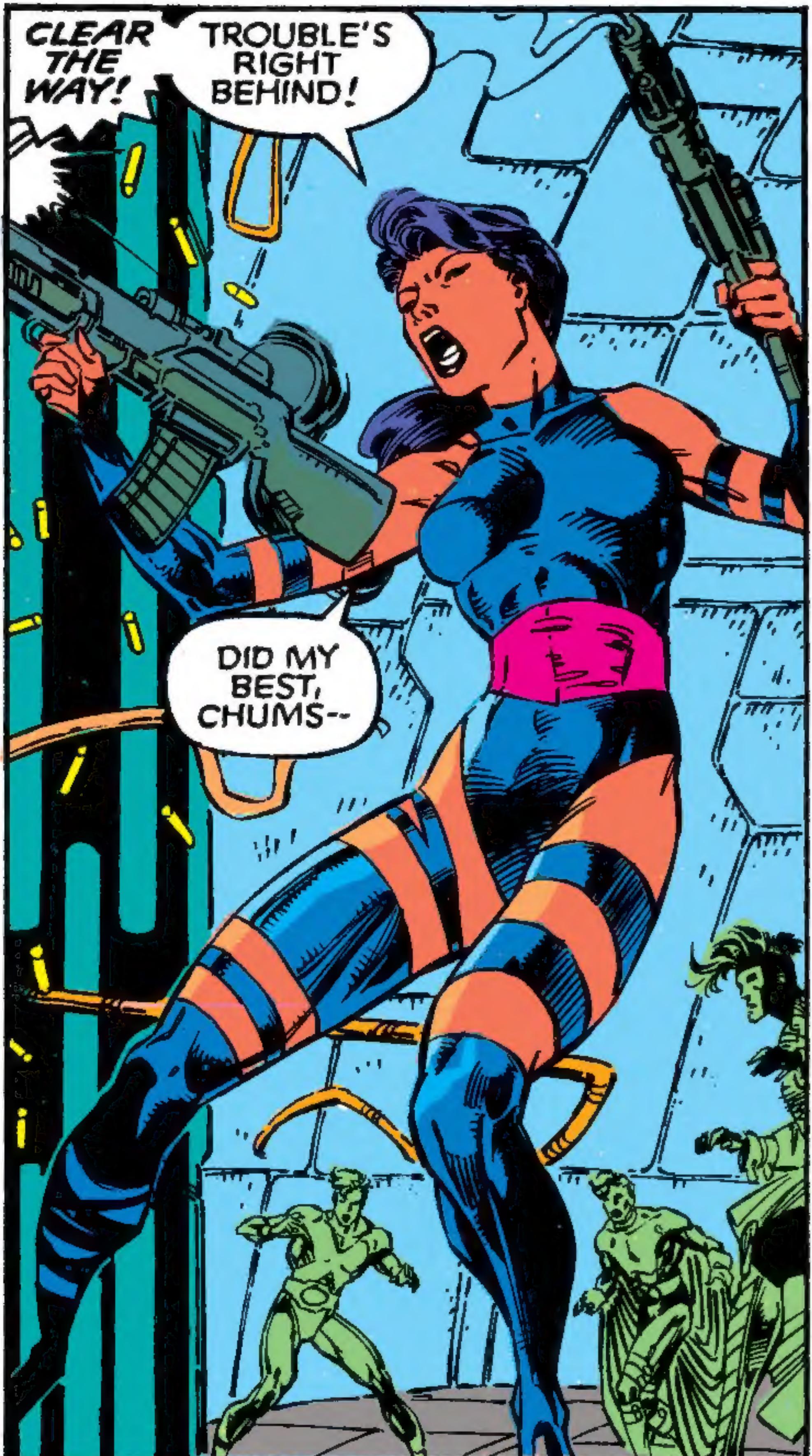












TO BE CONCLUDED, IN NEW MUTANTS #97 & X-FACTOR #62.

AND, IN 30 DAYS: TOO MANY MUTANTS, OR WHOSE SCHOOL IS THIS, ANYWAY?